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Message from the

Parks and Recreation Director



I recently celebrated my 10th anniversary with the City of Sausalito and almost every day since day one I get asked “How are things going?” While there are always ups and downs, my answer is a resonating “Good.” Sausalito has a lot going for it right now, especially in the Parks and Recreation Department. First off, I can honestly say that the team here on the bottom story of City Hall is FANTASTIC! Julie is always looking for ways to improve our traditional events as well as add new ones to the mix—look for Sausalito’s 125th birthday celebration this summer. Linda has been bringing in new classes and fine tuning the ones we have—take a look at our class offerings and you will see what I mean. Then there is Bryan at the front desk. As a resident, Bryan can answer almost every question you ask him, even if it is not about Parks and Recreation. I can guarantee he will do it with a smile on both his face and in his voice.

Out in the field we have our Custodial and Parks crew. Kent has been with the City for over 20 years and in addition to knowing how almost everything in the city works, he can tell some great stories of the past. Jerry is at City Hall early every morning getting things ready for us. Despite being busy taking care of the building, he always is there to lend a hand when needed. Jason can tell you about every plant he has planted in his almost 20 years in Sausalito. Martin is the newest of the crew and it is clear that he wants to learn about Sausalito and help keep it beautiful.

Next time you see a Parks and Recreation staff member (or anyone from the City for that matter) give them a shout out. Sausalito is a great place to be and it would not be the same without them.

Mike Langford

Sausalito Parks & Recreation Department

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SAUSALITO ★ ★ CURRENTS

Stay up to date on public issues, meeting notices, and events with the Sausalito Currents email newsletter—your source for weekly news from the City of Sausalito. You’ll also receive occasional news flashes on important issues affecting Sausalito, like road closures and weather alerts.

If you have questions or would like to submit a community event to the What’s Happening section of Currents, please send email to currents@sausalito.gov

The Sausalito Parks & Recreation Department strives to provide quality programs to Sausalito and its community that enhance growth, expression, and recreation through people, parks, and programs.

Parks & Recreation Calendar of Events

FEBRUARY

- 2/11 Family Fun Valentine's Dance Party

MARCH

- 3/9 Outdoor Movie Night
- 3/12 City-Wide Yard Sale registration opens
- 3/31 Easter Egg Hunt and Parade

APRIL

- 4/21 City-Wide Yard Sale

MAY

- 5/12 Sausalito WAG Dog Festival

All events produced by Sausalito Parks & Recreation

Sponsorship opportunities available

Like us on Facebook @sausalitoparksandrecreation to stay up to date with all events and activities.

SAUSALITO Jazz AND BLUES

Sausalito's summertime jazz and blues concerts have become legendary and is a favorite of many a resident. Breathtaking views of Angel Island, San Francisco, and the Bay provide the backdrop for this weekly celebration at Gabrielson Park in downtown Sausalito. There are many opportunities for you to get involved in these great events. Corporate Sponsorships are available, as are Reserved Season Tables for both residents and non-residents. We even have opportunities for local Non-Profits to join in by being a food and beverage vendor for a night. These concerts are a true Sausalito experience and is a great time for all who attend. Music, Friends, Food. What more can you ask for?

Corporate Sponsorship Opportunities

A Jazz and Blues by the Bay sponsorship is a great way to connect with the community and showcase your business. Below are our sponsorship benefits. All sponsorships go on sale on the date indicated at 9am at the Parks and Recreation Office at City Hall on a first come first served basis. **415-289-4198.**

Jazz & Blues the Bay Sponsor Benefits	PRODUCER	DIAMOND	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
Corporate Logo Banner on Front of Stage	✓					
Right of First offer for Producer's Sponsorship for 2019 season	✓					
100-Word Write-up on Jazz & Blues Website. Includes Hot Link.	✓	✓				
Number of Reserved Tables For Six for Entire Season	2	2	1	1	1	0
Number of Reserved Parking Passes for Entire Season	2	2	2	0	0	0
Logo on Jazz & Blues Banner in Gabrielson Park (15'x6')	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Listed on Jazz & Blues Sweatshirt and T-Shirt	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Logo on Jazz & Blues Website	✓	✓				
Logo on Promotional Material	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Listed as Sponsor in the Sausalito Quarterly Magazine—Summer	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Thank You Announcement Each Week Before Concert	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Number of Jazz & Blues Sweatshirts	12	8	6	6	0	0
Date Available for Sponsorship	Jan 2	Jan 8	Jan 22	Jan 29	Feb 5	Feb 5
Cost	\$5,000	\$3,500	\$2,000	\$1,100	\$700	\$300
*Producer Level is exclusive and has first right of refusal for 2019 season.						

Individual tables are now on sale!

Call today to reserve your table. 415-289-4152.

Resident Season Table Reservations \$550

On sale February 19

Non-Resident Season Table Reservations \$650

On sale February 26

Can't commit to the entire season? A limited number of reserved tables are available every Friday night on a one-time weekly basis. These tables are only available by advance registration.

Weekly, One-Time Reserved Table \$60R \$70NR

On sale March 5

TABLE TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Tables include a round table, six chairs, a navy linen, and a table number
- Tables cannot be resold to other parties. They can be gifted.
- Tables will be selected from the 2018 Jazz Table Map. Check out www.jazzandbluesbythebay.com
- All table locations are approximate; there is no guarantee that tables will be placed at the exact same location each week
- Tables must be cleared by 8:15pm each night for breakdown
- Table holders must recycle/throw away all refuse from their table each night. Trash receptacles/recycling bins are placed throughout the park
- Please do not park on Spinnaker Way in the red zone for any reason or you will be cited and towed
- Items left on or around tables are not the responsibility of the City of Sausalito, its officers or agents
- Tables and table name plates may not be moved
- Additional chairs are available for \$5 each. Please do not take chairs from other tables

FREE SEATING TERMS & CONDITIONS

Each year the free Jazz and Blues by the Bay concert series has become more and more popular attracting greater crowds. In order to ensure that it is a positive experience for all we ask for your compliance with the following:

- Chairs in free lawn seating area must not have seats taller than 8" from the ground and the backs of the chairs may be no taller than the shoulder height of the occupant
- Tables may be no taller than 18"
- Blankets between nightly tables are not allowed and will be removed
- Rocks used to hold blankets in place must be returned at the end of the event
- Please reserve and use only the space you need
- Please make room for others. Let's all have a good time!
- Please do not park on Spinnaker Way in the red zone for any reason or you will be cited and towed

AS ALWAYS, FOOD AND BEVERAGES SPONSORED BY LOCAL NON-PROFIT GROUPS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT EACH CONCERT. IF YOUR NON-PROFIT IS INTERESTED IN THIS OPPORTUNITY, PLEASE CONTACT PARKS & RECREATION FOR MORE INFORMATION.

415-289-4152

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Sponsorships available February 5

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Outdoor Movie Night

FRIDAY MARCH 9
6:30pm, Gabrielson Park
Movie: *Back to the Future*
Come watch this instant classic on the BIG screen with surround sound in beautiful Gabrielson Park. Jump Back to the Future with friends or family at this popular event. Enjoy the lawn seating, beautiful view and a great movie. Popcorn will be for sale. This is going to be a great time out. Hope you can make it and don't forget your hover-skateboard and self-lacing tennis shoes!

For more information, visit sausalitoparksandrecreation.com

38th Annual Easter Parade and Egg Hunt

SATURDAY MARCH 31
10am-11:30am, Caledonia Street & Dunphy Park
Who better to lead our annual Easter Parade than the Easter Bunny? He'll be hopping at the front of the line as the parade makes its way down Caledonia from the Johnson Street Fire Station all the way to Dunphy Park. Line up for the parade at the Fire Station at 9:45am because the parade starts promptly at 10am! Once the parade makes it to Dunphy Park (around 10:15am) the Easter Egg Hunt will commence. At 10:30am a children's musician will entertain the little ones, followed by the famous Easter Bonnet Contest at 11am. The contest is judged by representatives of the Sausalito Woman's Club and is always a hit. Come and see contestants who decorate their bonnets with spectacular Easter and spring finery. We're calling all bunnies to come on down for the parade, egg hunt, musician and bonnet contest. Bring your basket and have a great time! For mor information, visit www.sausalitoparksandrecreation.com.

City Wide Yard Sale

SATURDAY APRIL 21
9am – 2pm, MLK Parking Lot and Basketball Courts
This bi-annual event is a staple in Sausalito. Residents and non-residents alike enjoy the opportunity to both buy and sell treasures here. It's a great day to bring the family and check out all there is to offer and maybe take home some great stuff. Admission is free and this event is dog friendly.

SELLERS WANTED: Reserve a booth at the City Wide Yard Sale and take the opportunity to get rid of some of your clutter. Residents and non-residents may both reserve booths. No craft vendors allowed. No food vendors allowed. Only garage/rummage sale items are to be sold. The City reserves the right to refuse any items it does not view as appropriate for sale at this event.
Spaces can be reserved starting on March 12 at 9am and cost between \$15 and \$31, depending on location. Space choice and table rentals are first come, first served. Reservations can be made in person at the Parks and Recreation counter at 420 Litho Street, Sausalito CA 94965 or by calling 415-289-4152. People in person get priority over all phone calls and emails. NO early registration allowed. Check out the space map online at www.sausalitoyardsale.com

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Yellow Space	\$15R	\$20NR
Blue Space	\$18R	\$23NR
Orange Space	\$20R	\$25NR
Purple Space (TENT OK)	\$20R	\$25NR
Pink Space	\$25R	\$30NR
Red Space	\$31R	\$36NR
6' Table Rental (one per space)	\$13	
3' Round Table Rental	\$8	

Sausalito Wag – Dog Festival

SATURDAY MAY 12
10am–3pm, Marinship Park
Presented by Sausalito Parks and Recreation, Sausalito WAG is Sausalito's very own Dog Festival. Join your fellow dog enthusiasts in celebrating all things canine. There will be an Everyday Dog Show, Human/Dog games, demonstrations, and much more. Everyday Dog Show categories are: Best Costume (10:30am), Best Wag (11am), Best Trick (11:30am), Best Owner/Dog Look-Alike (1pm), Best Bark (1:30pm), and Best Body Part (2pm). So get yourself and your dog ready to enter the show and win some great prizes! Dog rescues will be on site for pet adoptions. Vendors will be there from all over Marin County and beyond. Food and beverages will also be available. The event is free for all, and you can find more information at www.sausalitowag.com.

2018 SAUSALITO WAG SPONSORS



Other Community Events

- MARCH
- 3/24 Sausalito Yacht Club Open House
 - 3/24 Willow Creek Academy Fundraiser
- APRIL
- 4/18 Sausalito Woman's Club Evening of Poetry
 - 4/22 Earth Day Neighborhood Clean-Up
- MAY
- 5/12 Rotary Club Garden Gala Fundraiser

Earth Day Neighborhood Cleanup

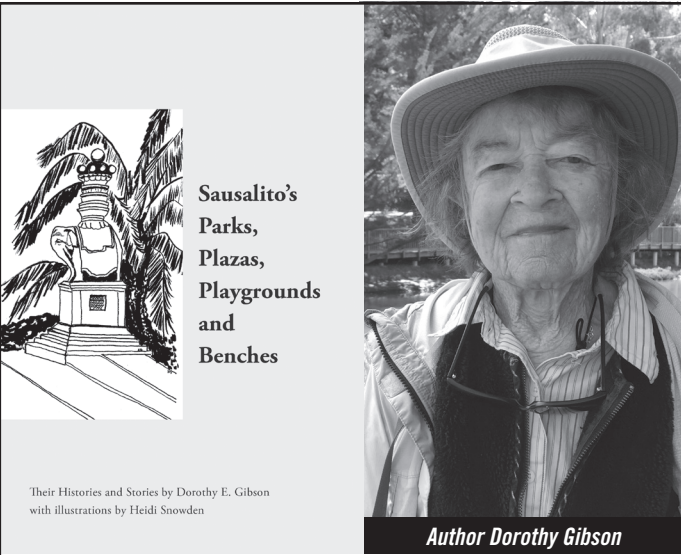
April 22
Join your neighbors and friends to help clean up trash around town, from 9am to noon at various locations across Sausalito. Sign up and pick a location to help at: www.EarthDay94965.com

Organized by the Sausalito Woman's Club

Totally '80s Dance Party
Come Join the FUN!

WHEN: Saturday, March 24 2018
WHERE: IDESST Hall - 511 Caledonia Street Sausalito, CA
The Willow Creek Academy Annual Fundraiser is here and this year we are bringing back the 80's! This dance party will include live music from award winning band THE CHEESEBALLS, spirits tasting by ANCHOR DISTILLING, food by F3 and amazing deals at our silent auction. Get ready to dance & laugh with friends and neighbors while supporting your community. All proceeds from the event will support Willow Creek Academy's S.M.A.R.T. program. Tickets are limited—don't miss out!
For Tickets & Info visit <https://willowcreekacademy.schoolauction.net/totally80s/>

5pm–10pm – BURGERS & BOURBON
Ticket Price: \$100 / person
In addition to everything included with the Totally 80's Dance Party, A Burgers & Bourbon tcket will also include: Welcome Bourbon Cocktail, Spirits Tasting by ANCHOR DISTILLING, Food by F3, More Live music!
7pm–10pm – TOTALLY '80s DANCE PARTY
Ticket Price: \$25 / person
The Dance Party Ticket will include: Live music from THE CHEESEBALLS, Live and Silent Auction with amazing prizes, Snacks & sweets donated by CIBO, Prizes for Funniest, Best Throwback & Cutest Couple Costumes, Cash Bar featuring Alysian Wines & Lagunitas Beer



Many of you may know Dorothy Gibson from her book, *Exploring Sausalito's Paths and Walkways*. Her new book, *Sausalito's Parks, Plazas, Playgrounds and Benches*, coincides with Sausalito's efforts to restore and upgrade many of its parks. There are many stories about the people of Sausalito but it's nice to have stories about the places we hold dear to our hearts—Parks! **Books are available for purchase at the Parks and Recreation office.**

Rotary Club of Sausalito Charitable Foundation presents

Garden Gala

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Saturday, May 12, 5:30pm
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Celebrate & Support!

Call: 415-331-6466 Buy: www.SausalitoRotaryGala.org
Tickets: \$150 p/p (Early bird \$125 before March 15)

**Additional beneficiaries include Sausalito Rotary Senior Housing & Educational Trust, & Rotary International Humanitarian Efforts.*

Rotary Club of Sausalito Charitable Foundation, Inc. is a 501(C)3 public benefit corporation.

PLAYLAND

SAUSALITO'S INDOOR BOUNCE HOUSE PLAYGROUND!



FOR AGES 7 AND UNDER

Morning drop-in program features a full sized gymnasium with inflatable bounce houses, activity stations, and plenty of toys, including arcade style basketball hoops, wagons, cars, hula hoops, toddler ball hoops and balls. Kids who want a more quiet setting can play in the tot room with trains or color with crayons.

All kids will receive a balloon animal to take home. For adults, we offer complimentary coffee and tea.

HOURS OF OPERATION*

Monday	9am–12pm
Tuesday	9am–12pm
Wednesday	Closed
Thursday	9am–12pm
Friday	9am–12pm
Saturday	9am–12pm
Sunday	Closed

*Closed:
March 31 (Easter weekend)
May 26 (Memorial Day weekend)

ADMISSION

Drop-In: \$10R \$12NR
12-Visit Pass: \$100R \$110NR
We accept cash, check or credit cards.

FREE ACTIVITIES (with paid admission)

Mondays – Reptile Show
Tuesdays – Music Class
Thursdays – Music Class
Fridays – Reptile Show

RULES

No shoes in bounce house facility.
No eating in bounce house facility.
No adults allowed in the bounce houses.
Adults must be accompanied by a child.
No strollers inside the building. Covered stroller parking is available outside.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT PLAYLANDSAUSALITO.COM

LOCATION: MLK GYM, 610 COLOMA ST, BLDG #6, SAUSALITO
PHONE (DURING PLAYLAND HOURS) 415-339-9154

Book Your Next Party at Playland!

Playland Sausalito offers several party options for children up to 10 years old.
All parties include decorations and balloons.

PRIVATE PARTIES

Playland Party (ages 7 and under)
Your party has the entire facility, including three large jumpy houses, a 15-ft slide, arcade style basketball hoops and kiddie cars. For infants and toddlers, the tot room has train tables, floor mats, and coloring.
Saturdays: 12:30pm–2:30pm, 3pm–5pm, 5:30pm–7:30pm
Sundays: 2:30pm–4:30pm, 5–7pm

Up to 25 kids	\$350R	\$360NR
26 to 50 kids	\$425R	\$435NR

SEMI-PRIVATE PLAYLAND PARTY (ages 7 and under)

Your party shares the jumpy house facility with the public, but you have a private indoor party room or outdoor patio. Includes table covers and balloon decorations. Seating available for up to 14 kids.
Saturdays: 10am–12pm

Indoor Party	\$250R	\$260NR
Outdoor Party	\$200R	\$210NR

*Up to 14 kids. Additional kids pay regular Playland drop-in fee.

NERF BLASTER PARTY (ages 10 and under)

Kids have a “blast” ducking, dodging and running through barricades and obstacles while playing Nerf Blaster tag. Limited to 24 kids.
Saturdays: 6pm–8pm
Sundays: 5:30pm–7:30pm

Up to 24 kids	\$400R	\$410NR
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NOTE: Alcohol may be served to adults at your Private Party when you submit a special event permit application with the City of Sausalito and pay the additional \$50 permit processing fee.

LOCATION: MLK GYM, 610 COLOMA ST, BLDG #6, SAUSALITO

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

To book a party or check availability, contact Sausalito Parks & Recreation **415-289-4152**
For more information about Playland, visit playlandsausalito.com



Day Camps (ages 5-9)



Sausalito Parks and Recreation and Mt Tam Adventures are pleased to offer day camps during school closure days this spring and summer. Join our enthusiastic recreation leaders for a variety of activities including Nerf Blaster games, arts, sports, Karaoke and board games. Our camps offer a safe, nurturing environment in which children are free to explore new things, meet new friends, and create memories that last a lifetime.

SPRING BREAK DAY CAMPS

Course # 11462.1181				
M-F	4/9-4/13	8am-4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
Daily Registration				
Course # 11462.1182				
M	4/9	8am-4pm	\$60R	\$65NR
Course # 11462.1183				
TU	4/10	8am-4pm	\$60R	\$65NR
Course # 11462.1184				
W	4/11	8am-4pm	\$60R	\$65NR
Course # 11462.1185				
TH	4/12	8am-4pm	\$60R	\$65NR
Course # 11462.1186				
F	4/13	8am-4pm	\$60R	\$65NR

Location: MLK Gym, 610 Coloma Street, Building #6, Sausalito
*Extended Care Available 4pm–5:30pm for additional \$20R (\$22NR)

SUMMER DAY CAMPS

Course # 11462.2181				
M–F	6/11–6/15	8am–4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
Course # 11462.2182				
M–F	6/18–6/22	8am–4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
Course # 11462.2183				
M–F	6/25–6/29	8am–4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
Course # 11462.2184				
M–F	7/9–7/13	8am–4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
Course # 11462.2185				
M–F	7/16–7/20	8am–4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
Course # 11462.2186				
M–F	7/23–7/27	8am–4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
Course # 11462.2187				
M–F	8/13–8/17	8am–4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
Course # 11462.2188				
M–F	8/20–8/24	8am–4pm	\$250R	\$260NR
DAILY REGISTRATION				
		8am–4pm	\$60R	\$65NR

Location: MLK Gym, 610 Coloma Street, Building #6, Sausalito
*Extended Care Available 4pm–5:30pm for additional \$20R (\$22NR)



Pre-Ballet for Mommy and Me (Ages 2–3)

Moms, Dads and Nannies are encouraged to participate in this fun and musical introduction to creative movement. This playful class improves motor skills as children perform finger plays, dance to nursery rhymes and move with balls or scarves to music. Wear comfortable clothing that is easy to dance in. Come barefoot or wear ballet shoes. Children must be the minimum age by the first day of class.

Course # 13391.1182				
TH	3/1–4/5	10am–10:45am	\$90R	\$100NR
Course # 13391.1183				
TH	4/19–5/24	10am–10:45am	\$90R	\$100NR
Exercise Room—City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito				

Spring Ballet Recital!

We are happy to announce that the Pre-Ballet Age 3–4 class will participate in a dance recital this spring. The recital is on stage **Saturday, May 12 at 2pm in San Rafael**. Children should enroll in the ten-week session starting March 1 and pay the \$48 costume fee directly to Miss Matrisha on the first day of class. Please contact Miss Matrisha for recital and costume details: matrishadance@gmail.com

**Pre-Ballet Ages 3-4
Spring Ballet Recital Class**

This 10-week session will finish with a recital on Saturday, May 12 where children will dance onstage in a costume for their family and friends. To participate in the recital a \$48 costume fee must be paid on the first day of class to the instructor. Dancers use their imaginations to learn basic ballet steps and positions. They develop gross and fine motor skills, learn cooperation, self-control and dance class etiquette. For class children should wear simple leotards, tights and pink ballet slippers. Children must be the minimum age by the first day of class.

Course # 13393.4181				
TH	3/1 – 5/10*	11am–11:45am	\$148R**	\$158NR**
Exercise Room—City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito				
*No class 4/12				
**plus \$48 Costume Fee				
Recital on Saturday, May 12 at 2pm				

For questions about the class, contact Miss Matrisha at 415-722-8281.



New! Keiki Hula: Hawaiian Dance for Kids

Keiki Hula: Hawaiian Dance for Kids is a fun, easy-to-learn exploration of dance from the Pacific Islands. Young learners discover the rich culture of beautiful Hawaii as they learn about folklore, song and music, as well as traditional choreography. Suitable for beginners, this program provides guided instruction, builds basic dance skills and offers opportunities for self-expression.

Course # 13641.2181
SA 3/3-6/30* 12pm-1pm \$235R \$245NR
Exercise Room—City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito
*No classes 3/31, 4/7, 5/26

Rebound Basketball Academy

These fun classes develop sports skills, improve self-esteem and fair play while teaching the fundamentals of basketball—dribbling, passing, and shooting. Fee includes a ribbon reward.

2 TO 3.5 YEARS
Course # 15691.2181
SU 4/22-6/17 10:05am–10:30am \$120R \$130NR
3.5 TO 5 YEARS
Course # 15692.2181
SU 4/22-6/17 10:35am–11:10am \$130R \$140NR
5 TO 10 YEARS
Course # 15693.2181
SU 4/22-6/17 11:15am–12pm \$140R \$150NR
Robin Sweeny Park Basketball Courts, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito



Music Together of Marin (0–5 years)

Get ready to have fun with your little one as we explore the joy of family music! Music Together® is a play-based curriculum for babies, toddlers, and preschoolers. Based on child development research, we group children of a variety of ages, fostering natural, family-style learning. Every participant can explore at their own level in singing, moving, chanting, listening, watching, or exploring musical instruments. Come and join the fun with your little one! To learn more about our sibling rates & sample classes visit www.musictogetherofmarin.com

TU 4/17–6/19 10am–10:45am \$250/10 classes
Exercise Room—City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito
Register online at www.musictogetherofmarin.com



After School Programs

Sausalito Parks and Recreation offers a number of after school enrichment programs for Willow Creek Academy students. Each semester students can choose from a variety of enrichment classes including martial arts, dance, visual art, music, theater, digital arts, sports, gardening and nutrition.

Exhilarating Art

In this hands-on class with local artist Miss K, students will explore various forms of media. This class is designed to bring out the artist in all, regardless of ability. Projects will include tie dying, mandala drink coasters, paper maché masks, and nature still life. All supplies are included.

Kung Fu Martial Arts

A traditional Chinese martial art popularized in America by such stars as Bruce Lee and Jackie Chan, Kung Fu training emphasizes mental discipline, physical health, and self-defense. Kung Fu technique is circular and flowing, following the natural movements of the human body and of other creatures, like powerful tigers, graceful cranes, and agile monkeys. Young Kung Fu students learn basic techniques including stances, blocks, kicks, and punches. They also learn that it is important to avoid confrontation and to never begin fights. Instructor Sifu Munzer Dajani is Head Instructor and Program Director for the Shaolin Martial Arts Center.

Flag Football

Join Coach Jeremy in this exciting, positive, and safe introduction to flag football. Our non-contact recreational program emphasizes individual skill development, game-strategy, teamwork, character-building, and most importantly . . . fun! Class meets at the MLK Field in Sausalito with pick-up and drop-off available from Willow Creek School.

Drama Improv

In this movement-based class, students will get up, get moving, and learn to create theater in a snap! Actors and actresses will play improv games, learn ensemble exercises, improvised theater, and spontaneous storytelling. Class culminates with a mini “share performance” and cast party.

Spring dates to be announced. For more information, contact Linda Finch at 415-289-4140 or email lfinch@sausalito.gov



NEW! Babysitter’s Training

American Red Cross Babysitter’s Training is a 6.5 hour course that gives youth caregivers the skills and confidence to safely and responsibly care for children and infants. Through hands-on activities, interactive video, and lively discussions, the course teaches young people how to: care for children and infants; be good leaders and role models; make good decisions and solve problems, keep the children they babysit and themselves safe; handle emergencies such as injuries, illnesses and household accidents, and write resumes and interview for jobs.

Course #11841.2181
SA 3/17 9am–4pm \$140R \$145NR
Course #11841.2182
SA 4/14 9am–4pm \$140R \$145NR
Course #11841.2183
SA 5/5 9am–4pm \$140R \$145NR
Edgewater Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito



Wooden Furniture Restoration

Learn fundamental and traditional techniques to professionally restore your own wooden furnishings. Students learn basic tool use and finishing techniques including cabinet scrapers, chisel with sharpening, staining, finishing, French polishing and advanced workshops including “Chinoiserie,” using gold and bronzing powder, spray guns and difficult repairs.

Students provide their own piece of furniture to restore. Please call the instructor **415-331-1451** to ensure that a proposed piece will be finished within the scope of the class time-frame.

Instructor **Richard Morton** has been restoring antique furniture for the past 30 years and has studied the art of furniture repair extensively at home and abroad, including a three-year apprenticeship in Japan. See some examples of Richard’s work under the furniture restoration link on his website, www.rickproductions.com

F	March*	1:30pm–4:30pm	\$195R	\$205NR
S	March*	10am–1pm	\$195R	\$205NR
F	April*	1:30pm–4:30pm	\$195R	\$205NR
S	April*	10am–1pm	\$195R	\$205NR
F	May*	1:30pm–4:30pm	\$195R	\$205NR
S	May*	10am–1pm	\$195R	\$205NR
F	June*	1:30pm–4:30pm	\$195R	\$205NR
S	June*	10am–1pm	\$195R	\$205NR

Fine Antique Restoration, 610 Coloma Street, Suite 710, Sausalito

*NOTE: Students must register in either Friday or Saturday class. The full class meets for three sessions per month. Students may choose which Fridays or Saturdays during the month. Students may also work on their furnishing at least once during the week while they are taking the classes.

NEW! Acrylic Landscape Painting

Paint Marin landscapes with Bernard Healey. Both beginners and experienced will learn the elements of acrylic painting including composition, color theory and perspective. Each session is fully demonstrated and supportively critiqued. Subjects covered will be trees and water scenes of areas such as Marin farmlands, Raccoon Strait, Mt. Tamalpais, Richardson Bay, and Tennessee Valley. Bring any supplies that you have. A suggested supplies list will be provided at the first session.

Instructor **Bernard Healey** began his Art career in 1947 after serving in the United States Navy. He attended the Academy of Advertising Art and the California School of Fine Art, both in San Francisco. He went on to work as a publication illustrator at the Bechtel Corporation, a worldwide Construction company, and he eventually joined the Marin Society of Artists in Ross, where he exhibited his own work, served as a juror, and chaired their Artist Advisory Council.

In 2004, instructors at College of Marin noticed Healey’s solo acrylic painting exhibit and invited him to join the faculty, where he continues to teach. He also teaches and lectures at Marin Museum of Contemporary Art, the Mill Valley Community Center, and privately in his home studio.

Although Healey prefers to work in acrylics, he has also become proficient in watercolor. Most of his paintings are plein air, but he occasionally works from reference photos and paints finished work in his home studio.

Course #21051.2181				
W	3/7-3/28	10am–1pm	\$72R	\$82NR
Course #21051.2182				
W	4/4-4/25	10am–1pm	\$72R	\$82NR
Course #21051.2183				
W	5/2-5-23	10am–1pm	\$72R	\$82NR
Course #21051.2184				
W	6/6-6/27	10am–1pm	\$72R	\$82NR
Edgewater Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito				

Painting with Diana Bradley

Anyone interested in painting and art may take this class. The aim is simple: to inspire, to challenge and to grow in a friendly and fun setting. Get advice on composition, drawing, perspective and learn new painting techniques. Bring your own art supplies and medium, and Instructor **Diana Bradley** collaborates with you, offers her own insights and the class discusses pieces as they progress. Diana is a signature member of the National Watercolor Society and teaches sketching as an artist in residence at Yosemite.

Course # 21181.1183				
TH	3/1–3/29	2pm–5pm	\$60R	\$65NR
Course #21181.2181				
TH	4/5-4/26	2pm-5pm	\$48R	\$54NR
Course #21181.2182				
TH	5/3-5/31	2pm-5pm	\$60R	\$65NR
Course #21181.2183				
TH	6/7-6/28	2pm-5pm	\$48R	\$54NR
Edgewater Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito				



Dog Handling Classes

Marin Humane Society offers its popular family dog training classes at Sausalito Parks & Recreation! Register online at marinhumane.org/oh-behave/dogs/dog-trainingclasses

Small Dog 1

For dogs 4 months and older that will be 30 lbs. and under as adults. A beginning-level class teaching the fundamentals of good manners—sit, down, stay, come, polite greetings and walking, wait at doors, and leave it. FIRST CLASS IS MANDATORY AND FOR PEOPLE ONLY, NO DOGS, PLEASE!

SA	4/14-6/2*	9:30am–10:30am***	\$165/6 classes
SA	6/9-7/21**	9:30am–10:30am***	\$165/6 classes
*No classes 4/21, 5/26			
**No class 6/23			
***First class 9am–10:30am			
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito			

Family Dog 1

For dogs 4 months and older. A beginning-level class teaching the fundamentals of good manners—sit, down, stay, come, polite greetings and walking, wait at doors, and leave it. FIRST CLASS IS MANDATORY AND FOR PEOPLE ONLY. NO DOGS, PLEASE!

SA	4/14-6/2*	10:45am-11:45am**	\$165/6 classes
*No classes 4/21, 5/26			
**First class 9am–10:30am			
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito			

Family Dog 2

Only graduates of Family Dog 1 or dogs who pass a placement test (please call **415-506-6280** to schedule) may enroll in Family Dog 2. Hone the skills learned in Family Dog 1 through a variety of exercises that solidify your dog’s good manners and focus on you in distracting situations. Dogs attend all classes.

SA	6/9-7/21*	10:45am–11:45am	\$165/6 classes
*No class 6/23			
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito			

Instructor **Ali Vorhies** is a professional trainer and dog behavior consultant. She teaches a wide variety of classes with an emphasis on keeping training fun and practical for all involved. Ali’s strength is in helping students and dogs develop a stronger relationship through respectful training and in finding a positive new approach to any behavior issue. A lifelong dog lover, Ali has trained or competed her own dogs in obedience, scent work, agility and water performance sports. Ali is a professional member of the Association of Professional Dog Trainers.

TEACH A CLASS WITH US!

Do you have a skill you would like to share with the community? Sausalito Parks & Recreation is always seeking new course opportunities to offer. Proposals for all ages, levels, and classes or workshops are encouraged. For more information, contact Linda Finch at lfinch@sausalito.gov.



Taiko–Adult I (Introduction)

Drums provided!
Taiko is the art of Japanese drumming, which develops self-expression and musical creativity. This course engages in uchikomi based practice. The one who has either a sense of rhythm or a stamina to keep up the physically challenging drills are welcome. In each class, everyone will participate by playing on actual drums. Minimum age is twelve years old.

PLEASE NOTE: Taiko is a physical activity requiring fitness and stamina. Taiko is a demanding and challenging endeavor. It requires peak physical conditioning and flexible joints and muscles. Instructor reserves right to request a doctor’s written permission and written waiver of liability.

SU 4/29–6/24* 10am–12pm \$60/8 classes R** \$70/8 classes NR**
SU 7/8–9/2* 10am–12pm \$60/8 classes R** \$70/8 classes NR**
* No classes: May 6, August 12
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito
*Additional \$100 supply fee to cover costs of Taiko equipment and materials.

Belly Dance – Basics Plus

A fun and friendly class for people of any level of dance experience. Learn and practice all the basic moves of belly dance for a full body workout that is invigorating, energizing and fun. We will build on the basics to learn belly dance moves, combinations and choreographies. We will also discover and explore our individual and unique belly dance expression. Over time, we will learn use of belly dance props such as veils, finger cymbals, and sword or tray balancing. This class will be a chance to breathe, stretch, move, dance, sweat, express, smile, learn new things and meet new friends.
Instructor **Jade Rose (Jadeera)** brings to her teaching; 35 years of dance study, training and performance, 20 years of experience as a dance teacher, and 8 years as a successful professional belly dance artist.

DROP-IN
M Ongoing 7pm–8:30pm \$12R \$14NR
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito

NEW! Hula Hoop Fitness and Choreography

A playful way to start your weekend! Class begins with basic hooping moves. Second half of class we will create a combination that can be performed. Basic to intermediate hooping skills needed for the second half of class. Bring your own hoop.

Course #24831.11802
F 3/2-3/23 7pm-8:30pm \$35R \$40NR
DROP-IN
F Ongoing 7pm-8:30pm \$10R \$12NR
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito

Swing Dance Private Lessons

Come learn one of the easiest most versatile, fun dance styles ever created. Robin Leonard is offering private and semi-private lessons in a relaxed, yet fully instructional environment. A great way to meet new people. No partner is required. Robin Leonard has been teaching East Coast Swing for many years and has the ability to get even the most inexperienced people up and dancing within their first lesson. For more information or to book a lesson, contact Robin at 916-521-8364 or leonarddatalogic@gmail.com.

Private Lessons (per hour)
\$35 Resident
\$40 Non Resident

*Semi-Private Lessons (per hour)
\$20/person Resident
\$25/person Non Resident
*max. 7 participants



Yoga with Dr. Ehret

Dr. Richard Ehret, Chiropractor, teaches a basic Hatha Yoga routine to increase flexibility, release tension and tone muscles. Join this drop-in class for an hour of development and relaxation for the mind, body and spirit.

10-VISIT PASS
Course # 24501.2181
TH Ongoing 7:30pm–8:45pm \$80R \$90NR
DROP-IN
TH Ongoing 7:30pm–8:45pm \$10R \$12NR
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito

Tai Chi Basics

Beginning and Intermediate Level
Tai Chi is a gentle, complete aerobic exercise. Daily practice increases aerobic capacity and improves balance while developing a physical center and sense of mental well-being. Students will be exposed to the scientific principles from which the mystical qualities of this ancient Chinese art arise. Special emphasis will be given to avoidance of knee pain and damage. Basic use of breath and the fundamentals of footwork will also be included.
Instructor **Joe Quinn** is a retired firefighter, healing massage therapist, and currently a student of medical Qigong at the East West Academy of Healing Arts with Dr. Effie Chow. Joe has been teaching Tai Chi for over ten years. He currently teaches Yang style Tai Chi and Chow Qigong. For more information, contact Joe at **415-602-4544** or **sausalitotaichi@gmail.com**.

DROP-IN
TH Ongoing 6:15pm–7:15pm \$10R \$12NR
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito

Rosen Method Movement

Rediscover integrity, clarity, authenticity, ease and grace within your body. Rosen movements are fun and simple! Designed to improve alignment and flexibility, they free the diaphragm for more natural breathing. They engage the core and increase range of motion. They improve balance and coordination and relax chronic muscle tension. The class structure and the use of music to support the various moves creates an experience of relaxation and well-being in action. Rediscover the JOY of movement!

DROP-IN
M,TH Ongoing 8:30am–9:30am \$10R \$12NR
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito

Leisure Walks in Marin

Do you find the rugged trails of Marin too challenging? Join us for easy and fun walks in the flat lands and gentle slopes of Marin. We’ll take time to do bird watching, admire the wild flowers and meditate on the beautiful scenery around us. This is a great opportunity to adventure outside, meet new people and enjoy the magic of nature. Length of walk is approximately two miles. Classes are coed. Enrollment is limited. Led by nature guide **Donna Simonsen**, who also teaches Gentle Yoga Classes.

Course No. 24221.1182
F 2/2–2/23* 2pm–3:30pm \$68R/4 walks \$78NR/4 walks
Course No. 24221.1183
F 3/2–3/23* 2pm–3:30pm \$68R/4 walks \$78NR/4 walks
Course # 24221.2181
F 4/6–4/27* 2pm-3:30pm \$68R/4 walks R \$78NR/4 walks
Course # 24221.2182
F 5/4-5/25* 2pm-3:30pm \$68R/4 walks R \$78NR/4 walks
*If you miss a walk you can make it up the following month.
**Individual walk \$20R; \$22NR

Hiking and Yoga Adventures

Join us for an inspiring hike and discover waterfalls and the magic of fields and hills covered with beautiful wildflowers. Connect with nature to rejuvenate, replenish and nurture yourself and reawaken the elements of wilderness within. We will pause to do some simple yoga amidst the beauty of nature and then explore Marin’s most magnificent hiking trails with abundant magical redwood forests, majestic mountains, winding creeks and rolling hills. The hikes are moderately challenging and average 4 to 6 miles. Directions to trailheads are given at time of registration. Enrollment is limited. Led by **Donna Simonsen**, inspirational Nature Guide and Yoga Teacher.

Course No. 24222.1182
F 2/2–2/23* 9am–12pm \$90R/4 hikes \$100NR/4 hikes
Course No. 24222.1183
F 3/2–3/23* 9am–12pm \$90R/4 hikes \$100NR/4 hikes
Course No. 24222.2181
F 4/6–4/27* 9am-12pm \$90R/4 hikes \$100NR/4 hikes
Course # 24222.2182
F 5/4-5/25* 9am-12pm \$90R/4 hikes \$100NR/4 hikes
*If you miss a hike you can make it up the following month.
**Individual Hike \$25R; \$27NR



Marin Table Tennis Club

The Marin Table Tennis Club has been attended by hundreds of enthusiasts, with an average attendance of 12 to 20 players per night. We offer six tournament-class Stiga tables and nets. We also provide balls and paddles. A variety of play formats allows competition and recreation for all levels, from beginners to tournament players. Come try us out, meet new players in a friendly atmosphere, improve your game and have a great time! Please wear non-marking athletic shoes.

Sponsored by the Sausalito Parks and Recreation Department, the Marin Table Tennis Club and Stiga Corporation.

10-VISIT PASS				
Course # 25531.2181				
TH	Ongoing	7pm–10pm	\$35R	\$40NR
DAILY DROP-IN		7pm–10pm	\$4R	\$5NR
MLK Gym, 610 Coloma Street, Sausalito				
Instructor: Marin Table Tennis Club				

Marin Table Tennis Club –
Beginners and Intermediates

Enjoy the game of “ping pong” and learn the sport of “table tennis” with an open play format, with coaching available. This class is designed for new players and those rediscovering the game after years. It also provides an opportunity for everyone who desires to train, play or understand the sport at a higher level. Balls and paddles are provided. Please wear non-marking athletic shoes.

10-VISIT PASS				
Course # 25532.2181				
TH	Ongoing	6pm–7pm	\$35R	\$40NR
DAILY DROP-IN		6pm–7pm	\$4R	\$5NR
MLK Gym, 610 Coloma Street, Sausalito				
Instructor: Marin Table Tennis Club				

Fencing Fundamentals

Fencing is the art and science of the sword. Practicing swordsmanship refines focus, improves dexterity and makes flexible the mind and body. Students learn 19th century French fencing techniques including footwork, attacks, and defenses. Open to teenagers and adults of all ages, and no previous experience necessary. All swords and equipment provided!

Benjamin Bowles is a passionate instructor with 10+ years fencing experience teaching large & small classes, designing workshops, organizing tournaments, and coaching students. He’s motivated to develop every student’s technical skills as well as their physical coordination, body awareness, self-discipline and confidence. Mr. Bowles is the head instructor of the Golden Gate School of Arms in San Francisco, and is a certified instructor through the Martinez Academy of Arms in New York City.

Course #25821.2181				
TU	4/10–5/29	7pm–8:30pm	\$89R	\$99NR
Exercise Room – City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito				

Sausalito Bocce League

The spring league starts the week of Thursday, March 15th and Friday, March 16th. The league is limited to 32 teams (4 divisions of 8 teams). Each division plays alternating Thursday or Friday each week for 8 weeks. The top teams will advance to the “Super Roll” playoffs on Saturday, May 19th.

Location: Dunphy Park Bocce Courts, Sausalito	
Fees:	
Team: \$100	
Individual: \$10 Sausalito Resident; \$20 Non Resident	

For more information, contact Sausalito Parks and Recreation at **415-289-4152**

Dates subject to change depending on weather.

Bocce Referees Wanted!

Sausalito Parks and Recreation is hiring bocce referees. Hours during the spring league are Thursday and Friday evenings 4-8pm, with some Saturday hours for playoff games. No experience required, and we'll teach you the fun game of bocce while you work. Hourly rate: \$11



Adult Tennis Classes

LEVEL 1: INTRO TO TENNIS

Students are introduced to the basic skills of tennis, including forehand, backhand, serve, and volley. Emphasis is placed on proper stroke technique and enjoyment of the game.

Course # 25551.2181				
TU	4/10–6/12	6:30pm–8pm	\$300R	\$310NR
10-WEEK COURSE				
Marinship Tennis Courts, Sausalito				

LEVEL 2: EARLY INTERMEDIATE TENNIS

Students are taught stroke production, practice skills, and tennis related games. Focus is on additional stroke development and an introduction to strategy and rules.

Course # 25552.2181				
W	4/11–6/13	6:30pm–8pm	\$300R	\$310NR
10-WEEK COURSE				
Marinship Tennis Courts, Sausalito				

LEVEL 3: INTERMEDIATE TENNIS

Introduction to advanced stroke production, such as topspin and slice, shot placement, and doubles and singles positioning. Working toward directional control.

Course # 25553.2181				
TH	4/12–6/14	6:30pm–8pm	\$300R	\$310NR
10-WEEK COURSE				
Marinship Tennis Courts, Sausalito				

LEVEL 3: WINNING DOUBLES STRATEGY

Focus on doubles strategy.

Course # 25554.2181				
M	4/9–6/11	6:30pm–8pm	\$300R	\$310NR
10-WEEK COURSE				
Marinship Tennis Courts, Sausalito				

LEVEL 2–3 TUNE-UP CLINIC

For level 2+ players who have been away from the game for awhile.

Course # 25555.2181				
SA	4/14–6/16	10:30am–12pm	\$300R	\$310NR
10-WEEK COURSE				
MLK Tennis Courts, Sausalito				

ROUND ROBIN DOUBLES

A great way to improve your doubles skills. Play and meet new friends. No partner required. All ability levels accepted. Maximum 20 players.

Course # 25556.2180				
DROP-IN				
SA	Ongoing	8am–10am	\$12R	\$14NR
MLK Park Tennis Courts, Sausalito				

For additional information, contact George Zahorsky gz@tennisinmarin.com, www.tennisinmarin.com

Facility & Park Rentals

Planning a meeting, party or special event?

We have several parks and facilities to provide the perfect venue for your event. Many of our parks are located on the waterfront with breathtaking views.

If you need indoor space, we have rooms available in the historic City Hall building. The Edgewater room is a perfect venue for meetings or social gatherings. It's equipped with tables and chairs and a full service kitchen. We also have an exercise room and a games room for children's parties.

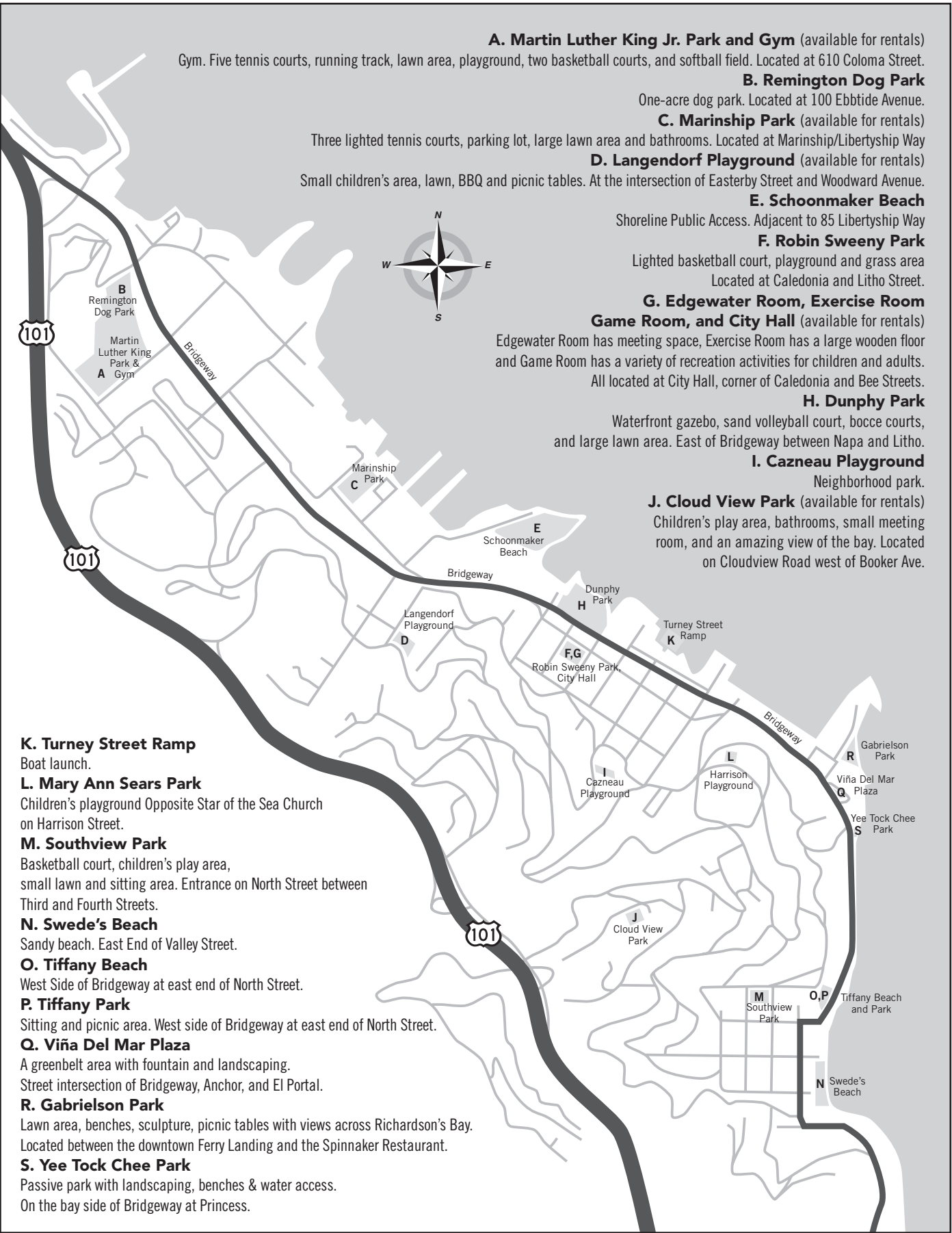
If your meeting or event requires a larger area, we have the MLK Gymnasium and fields are perfect locations for sport activities, team-building sessions and conferences.

Reservations are required for all parks and facilities and bookings must be made in advance. Call the Parks and Recreation Department at 415-289-4152 for more information or to book a space.

Sausalito Parks and Facilities Rental Fees*

PARKS		Sausalito Non-Profit Groups	Residents	Non-Residents	Commercial Groups
Dunphy Park (Includes parking lot)					
Area 1	Main Area including Gazebo	\$26 per hour	\$37 per hour	\$47 per hour	\$58 per hour
Area 2	Sand Volleyball Area	\$16 per hour	\$26 per hour	\$37 per hour	\$47 per hour
Area 3	Bocce Court (Rates per court)	\$16 per hour	\$26 per hour	\$37 per hour	\$47 per hour
Marinship Field		\$21 per hour	\$26 per hour	\$32 per hour	\$42 per hour
Martin Luther King Field (#1 or #2) (Hourly Rates Per Field)		\$21 per hour	\$26 per hour	\$32 per hour	\$42 per hour
Langendorf Park		\$16 per hour	\$28 per hour	\$42 per hour	\$58 per hour
Cloudview Park		\$16 per hour	\$28 per hour	\$42 per hour	\$58 per hour
Tennis Courts - Marinship & MLK (Hourly Rates Per Court)		\$21 per hour	\$26 per hour	\$32 per hour	\$42 per hour
Other Parks		\$16 per hour	\$28 per hour	\$42 per hour	\$58 per hour
FACILITIES					
Edgewater Room	Groups under 25	\$21 per hour	\$32 per hour	\$42 per hour	\$58 per hour
	Groups over 25	\$37 per hour	\$47 per hour	\$58 per hour	\$84 per hour
Exercise Room	Groups under 25	\$21 per hour	\$32 per hour	\$42 per hour	\$58 per hour
	Groups over 25	\$37 per hour	\$47 per hour	\$58 per hour	\$84 per hour
Game Room	Groups under 25	\$21 per hour	\$26 per hour	\$37 per hour	\$47 per hour
	Groups over 25	\$32 per hour	\$42 per hour	\$53 per hour	\$68 per hour
MLK Gymnasium		\$42 per hour	\$58 per hour	\$74 per hour	\$89 per hour

*Fees subject to change



Library News

LIBRARY INFORMATION

Address: 420 Litho Street
Phone: 415-289-4121
Web: sausalitolibrary.org

Hours: Monday–Thursday: 10am–9pm
Friday–Saturday: 10am–5pm
Sunday: Noon–5pm

Library Services

Get a Library Card without Visiting the Library

Online registration for a full-access library card is available for Marin County residents aged 16 years or older. When you apply online, you’ll get immediate access to popular digital services like online tutorials from Lynda.com, movies from Kanopy, and e-books from OverDrive. A valid credit card with a Marin County billing address is required for address verification purposes only. Your credit card will not be charged. To obtain a library card, go to the Sausalito Library webpage and look for “Get a Library Card” under About Us.

E-Books and E-Audiobooks

The Sausalito Library offers a huge online collection of popular electronic books and e-audiobooks for adults and children through the OverDrive service. If you’re not familiar with these resources, please look for the OverDrive button in the Digital Collections area of the Library homepage or download the OverDrive app to your mobile device. If you need extra help, we are available to help you get set up on your smart phone, tablet, laptop, iPad, Kindle, or e-reading device. For more information, please contact the Reference Desk at **415-289-4121** or reference@sausalito.gov.

Watch Movies with Kanopy and Hoopla

The Sausalito Library offers two streaming video services that are free to Sausalito residents. Kanopy (sausalito.kanopystreaming.com) is a collection of thousands of independent, classic, and foreign films, including films from the Criterion Collection of world cinema. Hoopla (www.hoopladigital.com) features an eclectic selection of Hollywood and independent movies. Both can be accessed with your Sausalito library card via app, the Library website, or the web addresses above. If you have any trouble accessing Kanopy, Hoopla, or any of the other digital collections offered by the Sausalito Library, please contact City Librarian Abbot Chambers at achambers@sausalito.gov or **415-289-4123**.

New York Times Online

Did you know that you can get free online access to the New York Times through the Library? By obtaining a special code from the Library website and creating an account with the New York Times using your email address, you can receive a 24-hour unlimited access pass. There is no limit to the number of times you can generate a 24-hour pass. The service will work for smartphones and tablets, as well as laptop and desktop computers. Look for the New York Times button in the Digital Collections area of the Library homepage to get started. If you have questions, or receive an error message when logging in, please contact Augie Webb at awebb@sausalito.gov.

High-Speed Internet

The Sausalito Library’s free public internet service went from slow to blazing fast in 2017, when the Library connected to CalREN, the California Research and Education Network. The change affects the public computers in the Library and the public Wi-Fi available in the Library and City Hall. At the Library’s public internet stations, where download speeds had previously been in the range of 5 to 10 megabits per second (Mbps), users will now see speeds topping out at 500 Mbps. The Library’s free wireless network (called “library”) has also gotten a big speed boost, to over 100 Mbps. Some mobile devices may see slower speeds due to hardware limitations.

Library Email Newsletters

There’s a lot going on at the Sausalito Library! To help local residents stay on top of things, the Library has two email newsletters, one covering all Library programs and services, the other focused entirely on children’s services. Visit the Library webpage to sign up for one or both newsletters, or send a “sign me up!” email message to Augie Webb at awebb@sausalito.gov. Library e-newsletters are sent out once every two weeks.

Unlimited Access to Lynda.com

Sausalito residents have access to the vast collection of online training courses and video tutorials available from Lynda.com — all you need is a library card. The courses and tutorials are taught by subject experts and cover everything from using your iPhone, to online marketing, to playing the electric guitar. Look for the Lynda button in the Digital Collections area of the Library homepage for a link to the Library’s special Lynda account, or go directly to: www.lynda.com/portal/patron?org=sausalitolibrary.org

Ancestry

The popular genealogy software tool Ancestry is available for use on the Library’s public computers. Ancestry features censuses, vital records, immigration records, family histories, military records, court and legal documents, directories, photos, maps, and more. If you have any questions about Ancestry, please contact the Reference Desk at **415-289-4121** or reference@sausalito.gov.

Home Delivery Program

The Sausalito Library offers a home delivery service for Sausalito residents who are unable to visit the Library on their own. Staff will pair volunteers and participants and can assist in the selection of books, DVDs, music CDs and other materials. This is a free service. For application and program information, please contact Augie Webb at **415-289-4121** or awebb@sausalito.gov.

Museum Passes

Discover & Go is an online service you can use to reserve and print free and discount passes to Bay Area museums and cultural institutions like the Asian Art Museum, the Exploratorium, and the California Academy of Sciences. Look for the Discover & Go button in the Digital Collections area of the Library homepage to access the service. Please note that Marin libraries receive a limited allocation of museum tickets; tickets for popular museums may not be available unless booked well in advance. If you have any questions about Discover and Go, please contact the Reference Desk at **415-289-4121** or reference@sausalito.gov.

Free Admission Tickets to the de Young Museum and the Legion of Honor

In addition to the Discover & Go online service, the Library offers free general admission tickets to the de Young Museum and the Legion of Honor in San Francisco. Every adult library card holder living in Sausalito is entitled to one ticket per year (each ticket admits two adults). Tickets are purchased through grants from the Friends of the Library and the Sausalito Art Festival Foundation.

Borrow a California State Parks Vehicle Day Pass

Thanks to a generous gift of the family and friends of Lisa Kimberly Nunn York, the Library has two “Golden Poppy” California State Parks vehicle day passes available to the public. The passes provide free vehicle admission and parking to over a hundred state parks, beaches, and recreation areas, including area parks like Mount Tamalpais, China Camp, and Samuel P. Taylor. To borrow a pass, look for one of the Golden Poppy cases in the central display area of the Sausalito Public Library. Bring the case to the service desk with your library card, and you can check out a storage bag containing the pass and information about California State Parks. Passes circulate for seven days and are not renewable. To ensure that a pass is available and save yourself a trip to the Library, call the Reference Desk at **415-289-4121** — if a pass is available, we can set it aside for you for up to two hours.

Sausalito Marin Scope Digital Archive

The Sausalito Public Library, the Sausalito Library Foundation, and Marinscope Community Newspapers have partnered to provide access to a digital archive of the Sausalito Marin Scope, Sausalito’s weekly newspaper since 1971. The archive covers forty-four years and over 2,000 issues of the Sausalito Marin Scope and is available free of charge on the public computers of the Sausalito Library. Replacing the Library’s old microfilm collection, the digital archive unlocks Sausalito’s past by allowing users to search the vast archives by keyword. To access the Sausalito Marin Scope digital archive, visit the Sausalito Library anytime during open hours.

Sausalito News Archive

Thanks to grants from the Sausalito Library Foundation and the Sausalito Historical Society, the Library is able to offer online access to digital archives of The Sausalito News from 1885 to 1966. The archive may be searched and browsed via the California Digital Newspaper Collection, maintained by the University of California, Riverside. You can find the collection on the web at cdnc.ucr.edu, or via the Services section of the Library website.

Programs for Adults

The Sausalito Public Library offers a wide variety of free public programs for people of all ages. For the latest program schedule, please call the Library at **415-289-4121**, visit sausalitolibrary.org, or sign up for the Library e-newsletter by emailing awebb@sausalito.gov.

Sausalito People

Sausalito People is a recurring program series at the Sausalito Library that features presentations by interesting people who live or work in Sausalito. The Library is currently running two program series per year, on consecutive Friday evenings in the spring and fall. Programs are held inside the Library.

Speaker Series

The Library’s speaker series programs typically take place on Thursday evenings in the City Hall Council Chambers. Programs range from author readings to lectures on history or science. If you or someone you know would be interested in presenting a speaker series event at the Library, please contact Abbot Chambers at achambers@sausalito.gov or **415-289-4123**.



Coloring & Doodling Party for Adults

Come relax and join the coloring party! Coloring and doodling can help improve focus and memory. The Library provides all coloring supplies, and bookmarks and buttons made from your artwork. We offer a stress-free atmosphere, soothing music, and delicious refreshments so you can unleash your imagination. Programs are typically held once a month on a weekday afternoon. For more information, please contact Rebecca at rburgan@sausalito.gov or **415-289-4121**. The library also offers a variety of coloring books for adults to take home, color, and return. Leave your artwork in the book for others to see! Need coloring implements? Boxes of colored pencils are now available for in-library use.

Museum Docent Lectures

The Library's Museum Docent Lectures are matinee programs typically held in the City Hall Council Chambers on Tuesday afternoons. Programs are presented by museum docents and cover a current or upcoming exhibit at the de Young Museum, the Legion of Honor, or the Asian Art Museum. Lectures are illustrated by slides from the exhibit.

Metropolitan Opera Previews

Met Opera previews are presented by Sausalito resident and opera aficionado Tom Wilhite. Tom's previews provide an entertaining introduction to an upcoming performance at the Metropolitan Opera in New York. Each preview includes stories about the composer and opera and a selection of audio and video clips from past performances. Tom's previews typically take place on a Tuesday evening before the corresponding Saturday morning Live in HD simulcast from the Met. This is the sixth year of Metropolitan Opera previews sponsored by the Sausalito Library.

Sausalito Writers' Circle

Looking for a supportive group to share your writing with? Ready to tackle that story, novel or poem? Interested in providing feedback to others? Join the Sausalito Writers' Circle! Here's how the Writers' Circle works: members submit up to ten double-spaced, numbered pages (poets: two poems) in advance of each session, and the group's time together is then spent in offering productive, positive feedback to one another. The Sausalito Writers' Circle typically meets twice a month, on Sundays from 3pm to 4:30pm. Attendance is free. Your host is recently relocated Sausalito resident, published author, and experienced workshop facilitator, Cindy Knoebel. If interested in attending, please send email to achambers@sausalito.gov.

Art Exhibits

Every six weeks, a new exhibit of artwork by a local artist is presented on the walls of the Sausalito Library. To be eligible, artists must either live, work, or rent/own studio space in Sausalito. For information about exhibiting your work at the Library, please contact Abbot Chambers at achambers@sausalito.gov or **415-289-4123**.

Programs for Children

We're adding new programs all the time, be sure to check the website, call the Library, or sign up for the Children's e-newsletter for details about upcoming programs.

Monday Story Time with Molly

Mondays
Edgewater Room
10am
Perfect for the whole family

Toddler Story Time

Wednesdays
Edgewater Room
9:40am and 10:40am
For kids 0-3 and their caregivers

Building Club

April 11, May 9, June 13
Edgewater Room
Come by anytime between 2:30pm and 4pm
Join us every month for an afternoon of building. We have a large collection of Lego and Magna-tiles, and every month we bring an additional building project.

Art Studio

April 18, May 16, June 20
Edgewater Room
Come by anytime between 2:30pm and 4pm
Join us every month for a special art project and, if you're not interested in the project, free use of the Library's supplies.

Afternoon Movies

April 25, May 23, Jun 27
Edgewater Room
3pm
Join us for great movies and lots of popcorn. Check our website for upcoming titles.

Middle School Book Club

April 9, May 14, June 11
Edgewater Room
4:30pm–5:30pm
If you're in Middle School and love to read, come join the Sausalito Library's Book Club! For more information and to get a free copy of the book, contact Erin, the Children's and YA Librarian, at ewilson@sausalito.gov or **415-289-4121**, or just come by the Library!

COMING IN JUNE: Summer Reading at the Library

Stay tuned for the Library's annual Summer Reading Program! Details will be available in early-May, check our website for the latest information.



Sausalito Library Trustees

The Library Board of Trustees serves as a liaison between the Library and the community and between the Library and the Sausalito City Council. The five-member board is appointed by the City Council, with members serving three-year terms. The board's role is to review the administration of Library operations, make recommendations and establish policies. For inquiries about becoming a Library Trustee or a Trustee alternate, please contact the Sausalito City Clerk at **415-289-4134**.

Friends of the Sausalito Library

You are invited to become a member of the Friends of the Sausalito Public Library. Your membership will aid the Friends in their support of the Library. The Friends provide "wish list" funding as requested by the Sausalito City Librarian. This includes support for the Speaker Series and the Sausalito People series, children's programs and story times, museum passes, and equipment such as the projection and sound system in the Library.

You may donate by becoming a member, making a monetary donation, or donating books and other media. Book and media donations may be used to replace worn materials in the Library collection or sold in the Friends Bookstore on the second floor of City Hall. The Bookstore is open Mondays from 9am to 5pm, and Wednesdays and Saturdays from 10am to 1pm. Please come in to browse our ever-changing collection and find a wide range of materials at very reasonable prices!

Donations may be dropped off at the collection box outside the Bookstore on the second floor of City Hall or in the Library. A cart is available to bring books in from the parking lot. Donations of multiple boxes or bags are best brought to the Bookstore during open hours. If that is not possible, call Libby Wilkinson at **415-332-0206** to arrange a time convenient for you.

All donations are tax deductible.

You can become a member in person at the Library or online at friendsofthesausalitolibrary.org or by email to fos194965@gmail.com.

You are also invited to donate your time by volunteering in the Bookstore. Contact Libby Wilkinson at **415-332-0206** or libbywilkinson2@gmail.com.

Volunteers also help at the Library by reshelving books and processing interlibrary loan materials. If you have an hour or two each week and would like to become more closely involved with the Library, contact Jim Delano at **415-215-6538** or jdelano43@comcast.net.

We welcome and appreciate your membership, your participation, and your ideas.

Sausalito Library Foundation

The Sausalito Library Foundation provides long-term support for the Sausalito Public Library. Donations and bequests from the community are used to maintain a revenue source to fund capital improvements and major purchases that make a long-term impact on the Library and its users. We work to ensure that our Library remains an essential community resource now and in the future. In light of remarkable shifts in technology and the delivery of information, the Foundation will help the Sausalito Library evolve and adapt so that the Library's physical space meets ever-changing needs.

Our thanks go out to the many individuals and organizations whose generous contributions have helped build our financial resources. The income from and appreciation of these gifts have helped the Foundation Fund grow. With this growth, we're helping to safeguard our Library's future.

For more information about the Library Foundation, please write to 420 Litho Street, Sausalito, 94965. Email messages may be directed to unexport@earthlink.net.

How Your Donations Support the Library

Sausalito Library Foundation: The Foundation uses donations from individuals, organizations, and businesses to establish a long-term revenue source that supports the Library through special projects.

Friends of the Library: The Friends' primary source of income is the Friends Bookstore on the top floor of City Hall. Your book donations and volunteer time help the Friends support Library programs and pay for items on the Library's wish list.

Please note: The Foundation and the Friends of the Library are separate organizations, both 501(c)(3) nonprofits, which complement one another and collaborate to meet our Library's needs beyond the capabilities of City funding. Neither the Friends of the Library nor the Sausalito Library Foundation contributions are meant to supplant our publicly funded Library budget.

Sausalito Police Department Safety Reminders



How to Avoid Auto Break-Ins

As many of us are aware and some not, auto burglaries around the Bay Area are becoming increasingly prevalent. San Francisco, just a short trip across the water, has an auto burglary problem which has been described as an “epidemic.” The auto burglary problem has not eluded Sausalito and often officers of the Sausalito Police Department find themselves taking reports from unsuspecting residents or tourists who have become victims of an auto burglary. The experience can leave you feeling vulnerable, violated, and usually without valuable property.

It seems obvious to most people: You shouldn’t leave a backpack with your laptop in the front seat of your car and expect it to be there when you get back. While most of us are careful, we sometimes get complacent, or we assume would-be thieves think the backpack contains only gym clothes, not a laptop. Wrong!

Picture crime like a table with three legs; it takes all three legs for that table to stand. Take away just one of the legs and the table isn’t supported. The same principle can be applied to auto burglary. It takes desire, ability, and opportunity to commit an auto burglary.

DESIRE + ABILITY + OPPORTUNITY = CRIME

Unfortunately, we cannot prevent someone’s desire to break into a car, but we can take away their ability and/or opportunity to do so. With a little time and diligence, you can make a difference in your vulnerability to auto burglary, here in Sausalito and in your travels around the Bay Area. Below are some tips the Sausalito Police Department would like to share:

- Close your windows & lock your doors (the simplest & easiest prevention technique).
- Park your car in a well-lit area when possible and somewhere your car will be frequently viewed.

- Any amount of time is too long when there’s something of value in your car. People often think, “I’ll just be a minute.” But that is all it takes for someone to notice valuables in your car. Thirty seconds is all it takes to break into your car and the speed of the crime is what makes it so difficult for the perpetrators to be caught.
- Any bag in sight is tempting to a thief. A bag with stinky gym clothes can be just as appealing as a bag with a laptop and the cost to replace your vehicle’s window is the same. Just because there isn’t anything of value in your bag doesn’t make it less tempting to a thief.
- Don’t put anything in your trunk right before your final destination. People will go out of their way to lock their purses and bags in the trunk of their cars right before going on a hike or going out at night. Even if you don’t see anyone around (the suspicious look-behind doesn’t usually help), you should assume that someone with nefarious intentions saw you stash that purse in the trunk.
- Jacks and headphone wires suggest an electronic device lives nearby. Even though you were careful not to leave anything of value in your car, a thief hopes you stashed the valuable electronics associated with the wires in your glove box or center console.
- Consider installing a car alarm. Though car alarms aren’t necessarily always deterrent, sometimes the blinking light indicating your car is alarmed is enough to scare a thief off.
- Keep the cargo cover OPEN and your trunk empty.
- If you drive a hatchback or station wagon, keep your cargo cover OPEN, not closed. One of the most commonly broken windows is the little quarter glass on hatchbacks. Thieves break those little windows and pull down the rear seat to see what’s in the trunk. And, if they think there’s something valuable in the cargo area, another window is often broken so they can get at those items. Your best bet is to leave your cargo area empty and leave the cover open. Don’t use your car for storage.

Like parking tickets, auto break-ins are unfortunately a fact of life for car owners in the Bay Area. But, you can be a part of the solution. Hopefully, by taking some simple precautions you can greatly reduce your risk of being the next victim. Always report suspicious activity and trust your instincts.

See Something—Say Something.

—Officer Justin Ritz



NEW EVENT! Monthly Sausalito Village Jazz Cabaret

Join in the fun by singing along to familiar jazz standards, doing your own solo or enjoying the music as part of the audience. Well known pianist Judy Hall will be tickling the ivories and Sausalito Village volunteer Phyllis Kinimaka will be hosting the event and leading the singing.

DATE: Every second Monday of the Month

TIME: 3pm

WHERE: Chamarita Room, 501 Olima Street at the corner of Coloma
PARKING: Please park on the street only, the lot is reserved for Rotary Housing residents

Snacks and drinks will be provided and the event is open and free to all. No RSVP needed, just come! If you need a ride, call CARSS (Call A Ride for Sausalito Seniors) two days in advance at **415-944-5474**.



Judy Hall and Pete Shoemaker perform at the Sausalito Village Jazz Cabaret

Sausalito Village Spring Calendar

February 6

Sausalito Village Trip

DeYoung: Teotihuacan: City of Water, City of Fire

All participants pay their own trip expenses—lunch, entrance fees, etc. Sausalito Village members pay \$10 and non-Sausalito Village members pay a fee of \$20 for a seat in the van. For reservations and other information, contact Sharon Seymour at sharon126@aol.com or **415 331-1362**.

February 13

Sausalito Village Speaker Series, 3-5, Edgewater Room, City Hall

Mia Monroe, National Park Service, “Druid Heights: Fascinating Stories of People and History in this Muir Woods Bohemian Community.” Open to the public.

March 13

Sausalito Village Speaker Series, 3-5, Edgewater Room, City Hall

Lori Drourr, DVM with Veterinary Cardiology Partners: “Keeping Your Pets Happy and Healthy—Especially the Aging Ones.” Open to the Public.

March 22

Sausalito Village Trip

Museum of Modern Art: Robert Rauschenberg

Everyone pays trip expenses—lunch, entrance fees, etc.—on their own. Sausalito Village members pay \$10 and non-Sausalito Village members pay a fee of \$20 for a seat in the van. For more information and to reserve, contact Sharon Seymour at sharon126@aol.com or **415 331-1362**.

April 10

Sausalito Village Speaker Series, 3-5, Edgewater Room, City Hall

Chris Asimos and Deborah Stephensen, Marin Financial Abuse Specialist Team (FAST): “Avoiding Scams, Fraud, and Identify Theft” and Sausalito Police: “Latest on Phone and Internet Scams.” Open to the Public.

April 17

Sausalito Village Trip

Marine Mammal Center tour and lunch at Cavallo Point

Everyone pays trip expenses—lunch, entrance fees, etc.—on their own. Sausalito Village members pay \$10 and non-Sausalito Village members pay a fee of \$20 for a seat in the van. For more information and to reserve, contact Sharon Seymour at sharon126@aol.com or **415 331-1362**.

May 17

Sausalito Village Trip

SMART Train Trip to Santa Rosa, and lunch in the Santa Rosa historic district. We’ll take a Whistlestop van to San Rafael to catch the train. Sausalito Village members pay \$10 and non-Sausalito Village members pay a fee of \$20 for a seat in the van. For more information and to reserve, contact Sharon Seymour at sharon126@aol.com or **415 331-1362**.

HOME SHARING MARIN COUNTY

Home Sharing Marin February 22nd

Sausalito Village and Age Friendly Sausalito host Christine Ness, Director of Home Share Marin

Home Share Marin provides a free service that connects homeowners who have an extra room in their home to share with home seekers who are looking for a room to rent. Home sharing matches provide benefits to both homeowners and home seekers alike including companionship, personal safety, added security, help with chores or to offset the rising cost of rents, taxes, utilities and maintenance.

Do you, or someone you know find it difficult to cope with the responsibilities of maintaining your home? Would the extra money of renting a bedroom in your home help to relieve some financial stress? Could you benefit from having help around the home with chores that have become too difficult? Home sharing may be the answer!

As part of the free service provided by Home Share Marin, Program Staff run background checks on both homeowners and home seekers and extensively interview all applicants. These steps lead to the creation of effective matches. Once a match is made, the parties work with Home Share Marin to put together a "Living Together Agreement" (LTA) that outlines the terms of the arrangement and many of the details of how the home will be shared. Each LTA is unique and tailored to the needs and lifestyle of both parties. Often, home seekers will provide assistance with household tasks or chores in exchange for reduced rent. Once a match is set up, Home Share Marin staff are available for ongoing support for both homeowner and home seeker to ensure the experience is positive and enriching for everyone involved.

We invite you to attend a presentation by the new Home Share Marin Program Director, Christine Ness, on Thursday, February 22nd at 10:30am in the Edgewater Room in City Hall. Call CARSS (Call A Ride for Sausalito Seniors) if you need a ride at **415-944-5474**. Unable to attend? Call Christine directly at **415-456-9068** or email her at cness@jtm.esc.org to learn more. Home Share Marin provides this service free of charge as a community engagement program of Episcopal Senior Communities.

Volunteering and its Surprising Benefits How Giving to Others Makes You Healthier and Happier

Why Volunteer?

Volunteering offers vital help to people in need, worthwhile causes, and the community, but the benefits can be even greater for you, the volunteer. Volunteering and helping others can help you reduce stress, combat depression, keep you mentally stimulated, and provide a sense of purpose. While it's true that the more you volunteer, the more benefits you'll experience, volunteering doesn't have to involve a long-term commitment or take a huge amount of time out of your busy day. Giving in even simple ways can help others in need and improve your health and happiness.

- Volunteering connects you to others
- Volunteering is good for your mind and body
- Volunteering combats depression
- Volunteering makes you happy
- Volunteering increases self-confidence
- Volunteering provides a sense of purpose
- Volunteering helps you stay physically healthy
- Volunteering brings fun and fulfillment to your life

Volunteer Opportunities with Sausalito Village and CARSS (Call A Ride for Sausalito Seniors)

- Sausalito Village and CARSS Drivers: It's the mainstay of our Mission, let's share this responsibility more broadly and make sure none of us suffers "burn-out"... Let's keep it Fun! SV Drivers take members to medical appointments anywhere in Marin, CARSS Drivers volunteer for one 4 hour shift per month to drive seniors anywhere they need, around town.
- Buddy List Matching: Help keep our offline Sausalito Village Members in touch with what's happening in our community
- New Member Welcome Buddy: Buddy up with one of our new Members to invite them to attend events and classes, or to just check in.
- Participating Merchant Discounts: Our local businesses appreciate our business and often don't mind showing their appreciation with discounts for our Members, but someone needs to ask them!
- Preferred Providers: Help to recruit and vet reviews of local Businesses and Service Providers from our Members.

THIS is just a partial list. If you have an interest or expertise, and an hour or more to share, let's work together to see how to get you involved. Everyone has something to contribute. Contact Rhonda at rlrolig@yahoo.com or **415-332-3325**.

Volunteer. It'll be good—good for you, and good for our wonderful community!

City Announces New Age Friendly Home Adaptation Building Permit Grant Program

New program aims to help you make your home safer and more convenient.

Every 11 seconds somewhere in our country an older adult is treated in an Emergency Room because of a fall. And more than 50% of falls happen in the home. In Sausalito, falls at home are the number one reason emergency medical services are called, and older adults are transported to the hospital.

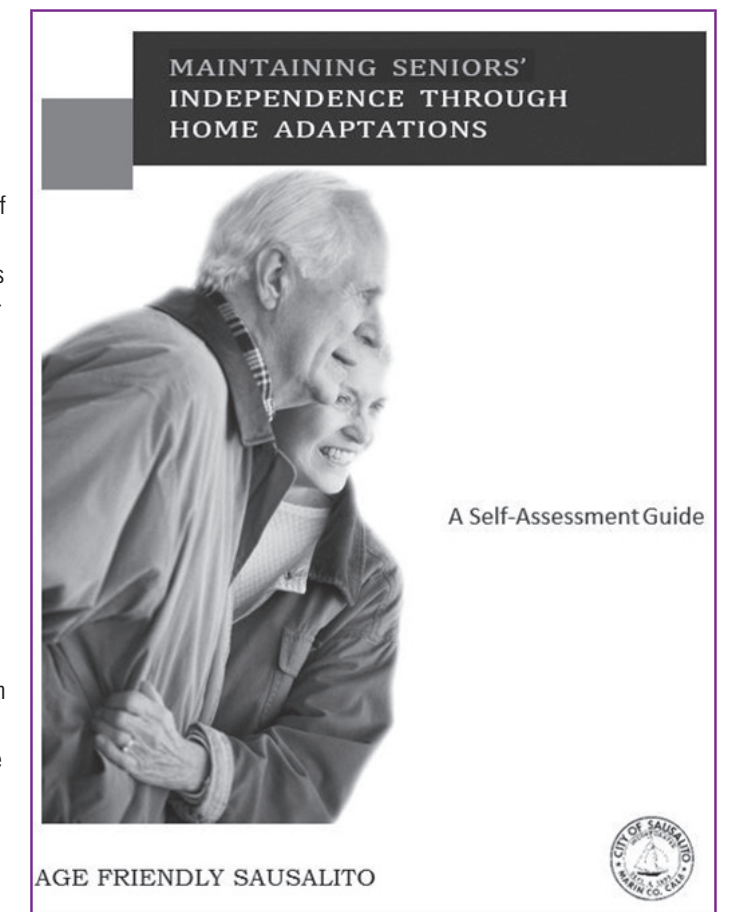
To help Sausalito residents age 60 or older and younger adults with a disability improve their home environment, the City's Community Development Department joined with Age Friendly Sausalito to create the Age Friendly Home Adaptation Grant Program which will allow eligible homeowners and renters (who have attained landlord approval), to make accessibility improvements to their place of residence with a reduced fee or no-cost building permit. This new program makes it more affordable to obtain building permits to make homes safer and more accommodating to the changing situations and conditions in life,

HOW IT WORKS:

- A resident will fill out a form which they can obtain from the building permits window at City Hall, or online at www.sausalito.gov. The form requires proof of age (age 60 or older) or standard proof of disability, to determine resident's eligibility under the Age Friendly Permit Program. A list of the proposed home improvements with the associated costs of labor and materials (project valuation) will also be required so City staff can determine project eligibility under the Program.
- A full list of eligible modifications is available from the building permits window. A few examples of eligible improvements include: stair elevator lifts, ramps to entries, handrails, wider doors (33 inches or greater), bathroom improvements such as adjustable height counters, bracing in walls for grab bars at tubs, showers, and toilets, no-curb showers, and many, many more.
- Age Friendly Home Adaptation Permits will be a reduced fee or no-cost permit based on the project valuation cost of maximum \$10,000 for eligible adaptation improvements. (other home modifications made for cosmetic or other purposes at the same time are charged the standard permit fee).
- Eligibility is established by proof of age 60, or by any standard proof of disability (e.g. DMV permanent disability placard or written confirmation from Medical Provider – see application form).
- The Program will accept applications and remain active while funds are available through June 30, 2018. Once the funds are depleted, the Age Friendly Home Adaptation Grant Program would be suspended until City appropriates additional funds for the program.

Along with your Age Friendly Permit Application Form, and List of Eligible Accessibility Modifications, you can pick up a copy of the Home Modification Self Check Guide for Seniors at the Building Permits Counter at City Hall to help you start planning how to make your home more Age Friendly. The customized guide takes you room by room suggesting possible places for changes, and provides a brief resource list of important homeowner and rental services available in the County including access to information on professional home accessibility assessments, home rehabilitation loans, mortgage assistance, how to apply for senior property tax postponement, fair housing information and home and community based social services for older adults.

For more information contact the Sausalito Community Development Department at **415-289-4128**. Access to these materials are also available on the City's website at: www.sausalito.gov/departments/community-development/building-division





Edgewater Seniors

The Edgewater Seniors Club has been meeting for over 40 years and many of the members are long-time residents of Sausalito. The Club provides opportunities for seniors to create friendships and share experiences through day trips and social gatherings.

Members receive 25% discount on monthly trips. Details of trips (cost, sign-up information and times) are available in the Club's monthly newsletter. Eligible members are at least 55 years of age and pay annual membership dues of \$15 at the beginning of each year.

Regular meetings take place on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month. The 1st Tuesday meeting is a business meeting for members to discuss issues and plan upcoming events and activities. The 2nd meeting of the month is a social gathering for activities and birthday celebrations. These bag lunch meetings begin at 11am in the Edgewater Room on the first floor of City Hall, 420 Litho Street, Sausalito.

For more information about the Edgewater Seniors Club or upcoming trips, contact Linda Finch, Recreation Supervisor, at 415-289-4140 or lfinch@sausalito.gov.

Caregiver Support Group Now Offered in Southern Marin

If you or someone you know is caring for a loved one with a dementia-related illness, consider joining the Caregiver Support Group in southern Marin. The Groups meet the 2nd Saturday of each month from 10am-11:30am in the Edgewater or Game room, Sausalito City Hall (lower level), 420 Litho St., Sausalito and are available to residents of southern Marin and beyond. Led by professional, credentialed facilitators affiliated with The Alzheimer's Association of Northern California, these Groups offer caregivers of loved ones suffering with Alzheimers, Parkinsons or other cognitive impairment the ability to exchange information, learn about solutions to problems, talk through challenges and ways of coping, share feelings and frustrations, and learn about available resources. Participants and their situations are assured complete confidentiality. For additional information, email caregivermarin@gmail.com.



Sausalito Sister Cities, Inc. A Message from The President, Susan Roe

I would like to give a very special thanks to our Board, Councils, supporters, local business owners, residents, and The City of Sausalito. Without your unwavering pledge of support, we could not have three active, robust fully funded Sister Cities programs.

This year is filled with activities for our three programs, including delegation and student visits from our Sister Cities to Sausalito, and visits to our Sister Cities. We welcome you to become involved in our programs, whether it is attending an event or hosting an exchange student. More information about each of our programs is outlined in the program updates, but here are some highlights.

We are celebrating the 30th Anniversary of our Sausalito Sister City, Sakaide, Japan. A small adult delegation, including our Mayor Joan Cox, will be making a trip in April to Sakaide at the invitation of Mayor Hiroshi Aya to celebrate our long-standing partnership in Japan. We will then celebrate again over the summer while the Japanese students are visiting Sausalito. The community will be invited to participate in these events, and we will provide more details in the next issue.

We also have very exciting news from our Sister City, Cascais, Portugal. Cheryl Popp & Jim Meyer have been working tirelessly on a special visit from The City of Cascais and with the Calceda Project breaking ground. You can read all of the details in Cheryl's Cascais program update.

2018 also marks the 6th year of our Vina Del Mar program. In October we will be sending a delegation to Chile to meet with the 28 women business owners who have previously traveled to Sausalito for business training and mentoring.

Additionally I would like to give special acknowledgement and gratitude to Dina Hatchuel who has served as the Sakaide Program Chair for the past six plus years. She is retiring from the SSCI Board as Sakaide Operations Council Chair this year, however, she is remaining on the SSCI Board as a Member at Large. It is because of her dedication and commitment to our organization that we have been able to provide hundreds of children with invaluable cultural experiences and grow our successful Sakaide Sister Cities program.

Best to you all in 2018 for a healthy year!

Susan Roe

President, Sausalito Sister Cities, Inc.

www.sausalitosistercities.org

Sausalito Sister City Sakaide, Japan

Sausalito Sister City, Sakaide, Japan is celebrating its 30th year and we are proud to announce that we have changed the lives of more than 550 students during the 30 years of student exchanges. In celebration of this anniversary we will be having a community celebration on July 28th at the Bay Model. The entire community is welcome to celebrate with us! Get your hat and boots ready - there will be a cowboy theme, and there will be food and beverages provided. Tickets will go on sale closer to the event, so stay tuned for more details.

Japanese Students Visiting Sausalito July 2018

This summer we will be hosting student delegates from Sakaide and are actively recruiting families in Sausalito and surrounding towns who are interested in hosting a Japanese teenager in their home.

The student delegation from Japan will be here from July 26th (Thursday) through August 5th (Sunday) and we anticipate as many as fourteen Delegates. As part of the program, we have designed ten days of jam-packed educational activities to keep them actively experiencing the best of our community, environment and culture.

Anyone with a spare or shared bedroom can be a host family. Having children of any age in the home is always a plus, though not required. Japanese language skills are not necessary, as the students generally have a basic grasp of English. The primary responsibilities and expectations of a host family are to provide transportation to and from Sausalito's City Hall each day, provide breakfast and dinner with the family, participate in the Welcome and Farewell parties and in the host families' pot luck, and at least one full family day with the host student that illustrates our Bay Area family life. In addition, host families can participate in some of the program activities with the delegation should they choose to.

For more information about hosting, including the host application, please visit our website: <http://sausalitosistercities.org/sakaide-japan/> or email cgarcia@garciaandassociates.com

We thank the City of Sausalito, local businesses and our citizens for all the support they have given us for this unique program. The impact on the students is deep and extremely meaningful.

For questions please e-mail: darylniemerow@gmail.com or egilbreath@comcast.net



Sausalito host family with Sakaide student

*Fado Night at the Pines, 2017*

Cascais, Portugal Sister City

As part of our mission to promote cross-cultural and educational exchange, this year the Cascais Sister City will offer Portuguese music and art to our local community, as well as hosting an educational exchange program.

Traditional Portuguese Fado Music Returns to The Pines

Save the date, April 28th, for an evening of Portuguese Fado singing featuring Angela Brito and David Garcia (making his 4th appearance at The Pines), accompanied by musicians Chico Avila (Portuguese guitar) Joao Cardadiero (bass) and Manuel Escobar (viloa do Fado).

The evening performance, sponsored by the Sausalito Youth Sailing Foundation, is once again a benefit to support the 2018 Sister City Youth Sailing Exchange Program between Cascais, Portugal and Sausalito. Proceeds from the Fado night help fund the program for student sailors from the Sausalito Yacht Club (SYC) who will travel to Cascais in July this year, to sail train at Clube Naval de Cascais.

All Fado seats are reserved and we are limited to 124 guests to ensure everyone's comfort at the Pines in the wine cellar ballroom which is as authentic a Fado venue as you would find in Lisbon. Portuguese wine and petiscos are included in the evening. Tickets are on sale at www.fadoatthepines.com. Check this site for more event details.

Watch an Old-World Artisan Create a Portuguese Calçadas Mosaic in Downtown Sausalito

A traditional and decorative compass rose pavement design, with Calçadas stones from Portugal, will be created in the heart of downtown Sausalito this spring. The Calçadas will be part of a new and improved plaza in front of the Bank of America building, that will be called Praça de Cascais. It will include new landscaping and seating as well as the Calçadas design. The Calçadas stones, and the artisan to perform the work, are a gift from our sister city of Cascais. Dignitaries from Portugal will be in town for the dedication ceremony June 12. Come watch this traditional, old-world pavement mosaic being created.

Ships Ahoy in July

In early July, youth sailors from the SYC will travel to Cascais to sail train and race with their counterparts at the Clube Naval de Cascais yacht club as part of the 4th annual Youth Sailing Exchange program. Last year, Sausalito families hosted Portuguese youth sailors; and this year, we will travel there. In conjunction with, and in addition to the youth sailing component of this trip, the Cascais sister city is also sponsoring an adult tour to Portugal this year, promoting cross-cultural exchange for all ages!

For more information on all these programs or to get involved, please email cheryl@poppinc.com or visit our Facebook page

1st Annual Sausalito Wine Experience

Despite the devastating fires in Napa-Sonoma in mid-October, last year, a prestigious group of vintners, including Honorary Event Chair Bill Harlan of Harlan Estates and Promontory Winery, gathered in the Alexandrite Suite of The Mansion at Casa Madrona Hotel & Spa for a high-caliber winetasting that was a fundraiser for the Sausalito Sister City program.

The thirteen extraordinary wineries pouring their finest vintages were joined by local restaurateurs who provided savory bites to over 200 guests who not only enjoyed the wine, but the stunning views, outdoor patios, and luxurious interiors of the Mansion—a signature property that is seldom open to the public.

The sold-out event, which started with a champagne and caviar tasting, was a stellar fundraising success for the Sister City program. Thank you to all the vintners and restaurants who participated and to the attendees. A special, huge thank you to the Casa Madrona for providing a world-class venue and to Poggio for co-hosting the winetasting as well as the vintner dinner that followed.

Look for details on the 2nd annual Sausalito Wine Experience this year, which will again be staged in October.

*Visiting business women from Viña Del Mar*

Viña Del Mar, Chile Sister City Women in Business Exchange

The Viña Del Mar program focus is to tutor, mentor and develop women leaders in the small business environment from the Valparaiso region in Chile. We have partnered with AGEP (Asociacion Gremial de Empresarias y Profesionales), an organization developed by small business women entrepreneurs in Viña Del Mar. This year we are embarking on our 6th year of this training program with a visit to Chile in October 2018.

We have trained more than 28 Chilean women in American business knowledge and practices shared by local and regional Bay Area business owners during four Sausalito sessions. Each of the local tutors gives their experience and input to the Chilean business women by highlighting business planning, customer development, marketing practices, profitability and more tools that lead to success and expanding a business.

2018 will be our 4th delegation visit to Chile We will visit the businesses of the women we have trained in Sausalito this past April, and meet with some of the other 45 members of AGEP.

The Chilean regional government has been very supportive of women owned businesses by funding programs that will help grow or sustain their company. These government entities are similar to our SBA program and have provided funds for the women to travel to the US—believing that global exposure and hands-on business exchange and education will broaden the Chilean women's business focus. These women are very hard working, highly motivated, and often the sole parent in their family. They are creating jobs,

building small business awareness and providing for their family. Their grassroots business development has boosted their local economy. Banks, local municipalities, and other business entities have recognized AGEP as a driving force in small business development and have consistently provided support, financing and local training guidance.

Our Sausalito Sister Cities commitment to this mentoring program has gone a long way to fulfill the people-to-people diplomacy requirement that was the initial foundation of the Sister City program established by President Eisenhower in the 1960s. There are 2,500 Sister City programs throughout the US, and SSCI has been recognized as number one in the US for cities with a population of 25,000 or less. We have shared our homes, our community and our knowledge and when our delegation visits Viña Del Mar this year in October, we will be celebrated as partners in their growth, and as teachers and friends. We will experience and learn about their culture, their business challenges and their dreams for the future.

We couldn't provide this life changing experience for both cities without the support of our Sausalito community, our hard working committee, our homestay families and the support of the Sausalito city staff and council members. Thank you all.

If you want to learn more about the Viña Del Mar program please contact Monica Finnegan at mfinnegan@urbanrealestateadvisors.com

The Sausalito Historical Society (SHS)

We are a group of friends, neighbors, colleagues, local merchants, scholars, writers, artists, historians, history buffs and enthusiasts who've been keeping Sausalito's past alive since 1975. The SHS is an entirely volunteer 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that collects and preserves art, artifacts, photographs and printed materials that document Sausalito's history. We provide access to the collection for public and academic research and develop publications and outreach programs to inspire local interest in Sausalito's history. As a result, we are able to educate the visiting public and to enrich the community. Annual membership dues, donations, and funds raised are used for new acquisitions, maintenance of the collection and public outreach through exhibits and publications.

EXHIBIT LOCATIONS

The Society staffs and manages the Ice House Visitor Center and Museum featuring a permanent display of local history. There is also a gift area featuring works of art by local artists and a selection of gift items relating to Sausalito and its history. The Ice House is open from 11:30am-4pm on Tuesday through Sunday, and is located at 780 Bridgeway (across from Casa Madrona). **415-332-0505**

The Historical Society's Exhibit Room and the Phil Frank History and Research Room are located on the top floor of City Hall. A team of dedicated Docents are available to assist and guide you. You will encounter a changing exhibit of historical significance plus an opportunity to do research through our Archives. The Exhibit and Research Rooms are open from 10am-1pm on Wednesdays and Saturdays, and is located at 420 Litho Street. (The entrance is on the right side of the City Hall parking lot). **415-289-4117**

Step back to a dramatic time in Sausalito history by touring the Historic World War II Marinship Exhibit at the Bay Model. This display of photographs, paintings and actual artifacts from the WWII ships and yard was developed by the staff of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the SHS. The Marinship Exhibit is open from 9am-4pm on Tuesday through Saturday and is located in the Bay Model Visitors Center at 2100 Bridgeway. **415-332-3871**



SAUSALITO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

VOLUNTEER DOCENTS NEEDED

The SHS is in need of new candidates who wish to become docents for the Historical Society. If you have a love of Sausalito and it's history and a few hours every month, get in touch with us. New docents receive a manual and on-the-job training. They work with a seasoned docent until ready to work on their own. The History and Research Room is open on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 10-1. Pick as many or few of the shifts as you like.

If you're interested please call **415-289-4117** or email **info@sausalitohistoricalsociety.org**

SHS FUNDRAISING GALA A SUCCESS

A big thank you to all our community supporters who made the fundraiser on January 16 at the Sausalito Yacht Club such a success. Our special thanks go out to Sausalito's Director of Communications, Abbot Chambers and our local Hollywood 'Guru' Jan Wahl for her presentation on the movies of Sausalito plus her auctioneering talents.

BENEFACTORS AND PATRONS RECEPTION

Each year the Sausalito Historical Society gives a 'Thank You' reception for the Sausalito Historical Society Benefactors and Patrons in a historic home located in Sausalito. This year the event was held at the home of Mimi and Ron Reich. The Reich's home was once the location of one of Sausalito's private schools where Miss Ada Greaves taught students of prominent Sausalitans. Miss Greaves was born in Chester England. She was educated in English schools and began her teaching career in her native country. She came to the United States and Sausalito in 1912 where she established her private school in the Christ Church Guild Hall that same year.

Miss Greaves would later move her school to 166 San Carlos, the current home of the Reich's and the one time studio of writer Amy Tam. Miss Greaves continued to teach students and later their children until she became ill and retired in 1950. She passed away in the spring of 1951 but would forever be remembered by the community that she served.



Margaret "Pinky" Anderson, Rick Seymour, and Tom Decker

The Historical Society was able to contact two former students of Miss Greaves who attended class at the 166 San Carlos locations, Tom Decker and Margret 'Pinky' Anderson, were both born and raised in Sausalito. They attended the event and spoke about their days in class with Miss Greaves. Tom Decker, who now lived in San Francisco, commented on how when he was finally transferred to another school he was surprised to find out how much more advanced he was than the other students. He felt that this was proof of Miss Greaves's excellence as an instructor.

SHS SCHOOLS PROGRAM UPDATE



SHS docents role play Sausalito personalities from the past

On December 5th, 2017 Sausalito Historical Society (SHS) docents with the Schools' Program role-played Sausalito personalities from long ago. From left to right are Nancy Osborn as Vera Clouette who served as a WAC during World War II; Vicki Nicols, as a Portugese dairymen's house wife with an authentic laundry "dolly"; Jerry Taylor, as a railroad conductor; Margaret Badger, as architect Julia Morgan; and Jeanne Fidler, as a proper British lady from "The Hill."

The program was presented in the third grade classrooms at Willow Creek Academy and Bayside/MLK Academy and represents the beginning of three units of study for 2017-18: People of Sausalito, Historic Buildings of Sausalito, and Marinship. The classroom visits and field trips were started nine years ago by the Historical Society at the suggestion of Susan Frank who continues to nurture and administer the on-going involvement of SHS with the Sausalito-Marin City School District.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY'S FACEBOOK PAGE

If you're on Facebook, have you visited the Sausalito Historical Society's Facebook page and "liked" it?

The Society updates the page 1 or 2 times a week with seldom seem photographs and some interesting articles about Sausalito, its residents and its visitors.

Did you know that Gentleman Jim Corbett, the famous heavy weight boxer, trained in Sausalito in the 1890s?

Were you aware that both the movie star Susan Hayward and King Faisal of Saudi Arabia visited Marinship during WWII?

How about the fact that there was a miniature golf course on Caledonia Street in the 1930's?

These are just a few of the examples of the factoids you will find on the Sausalito Historical Society's Facebook Page. Take a look and "Like" the page. A great way to learn more about Sausalito and its history.

THE ICE HOUSE

Located in downtown Sausalito, the Ice House visitor center is a popular place. Tourists from around the world tend to drop by to visit the history room, ask where they should have lunch and most of all, 'what is there to see in Sausalito'? This is the most interesting question because Sausalito is known for it's seafood, it's sailing and in general it's beautiful views of the Bay and San Francisco.

There are many things that can be done or viewed in Sausalito, eventually as the visitor's start to wonder around the downtown area they answer there own question, 'what is there to do in Sausalito, enjoy it's beauty. They realize from the information provided in the Ice House museum, that Sausalito is a city that has a very varied background. From it's early days of building wooden boats to the building of the Great War ships for WWII. Sausalito is a place where the talented tend to gather to produce their art. Sausalito is a place where the known and the unknown become one.

One such character of Sausalito is it's former mayor Sally Stanford. There is a bust of Sally now on view in the museum room of the Ice House. Some of the tourist that visit take the time to have their photo taken with the bust of Sally.



Alameda School teacher Harmony Miller pays her respects to Sally Stanford

Recently, a retired schoolteacher for disabled children stopped by to visit the Ice House. She said that she had always wanted to see the inside of the building and to learn more about it's history. Her name was Harmony Miller and she lives in Alameda, California. She was fascinated with the bust of Sally Stanford along with the history of this woman who became mayor, so it seemed only natural to photograph Harmony with Sally. A portrait with Sally Stanford—this would be a true Sausalito souvenir!

Zero Waste Marin Needs a Zero Waste Sausalito

Fellow citizens, the Sausalito Sustainability Commission thanks you for participating in our citywide recycling and composting programs. Along with our neighboring cities, we have helped Marin County divert over 70% of our waste from the landfill. And though this is an impressive number, to reach Marin County's goal of reaching zero waste or 100% diversion by 2025 — we've got work to do and we need your help.

What's in it for Sausalito residents and businesses? Savings on future garbage bills by preserving dwindling landfill capacity and maximizing the efficiency of our curbside collection programs; repurposing valuable resources; and helping build a more sustainable community, county and environment. It's a win-win for everyone.

How do we get there? It's simple—by composting and recycling more of the materials we are now placing in our trash containers.

Last year, we conducted a waste characterization study of materials placed in the garbage (black bins) from most of Sausalito's multi-family dwellings (five or more units) equipped with blue/recycling and green/yard & food waste bins onsite. To our dismay, 40% of the material discarded in the "trash" was compostable and over 25% was recyclable. Finding food waste was not surprising given many people are squeamish about composting it, but the amount of recyclable paper, glass, metals, and plastics sent to the landfill was disappointing.

Although this study focused on apartments, it's safe to say similar results might be found if we had sampled single-family homes as well. Thus, we ask everyone to do their best to place recyclables in the blue bins and not just yard clippings but, yes, your food scraps and soiled paper in the green bins.

Educational outreach activities aimed at multi-family dwellings in Sausalito are scheduled for this spring thanks to a grant provided by the Joint Powers Authority of Marin, which also funded the waste characterization study. We want to provide residents with the information and tools necessary to improve our waste diversion numbers. We will also be recruiting apartment building "Eco Ambassadors" — folks willing to keep an eye on shared trash and recycling bins, and to help educate fellow tenants and new residents. If you are interested, please email the Commission at sustaincomm@sausalito.gov.

We're making progress on composting our food waste, but we can do so much more. It's the only way our beautiful county will reach its zero waste goals. Members of the Sustainability Commission will be attending various special events throughout the year, handing out free rolls of bio bags for lining your compost pail to make it a little less icky. We can do this together—and we thank you in advance for your cooperation and commitment to our environment!

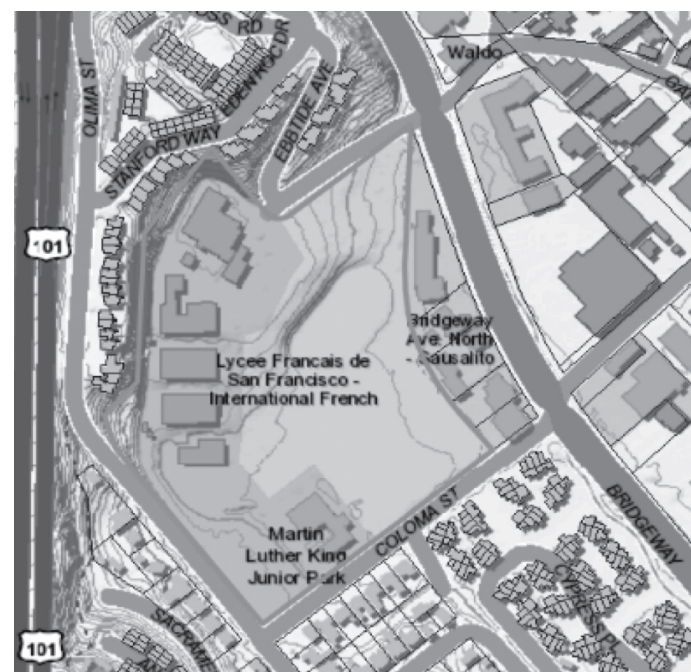
For questions on what can be composted or how to get a compost pail or bin, please contact Bay Cities Refuse Service at **415-332-3646** or visit www.baycitiesrefuse.com/bcr/. To learn more about Zero Waste Marin and other helpful tips visit: www.zerowastemarin.org

Renovations at the Martin Luther King Jr. Campus 100 Ebbtide / 610 Coloma

Construction Buzz. During the summer of 2017, the City-owned Martin Luther King Jr. (MLK) campus underwent some major projects! The biggest accomplishment of the year was the installation of a brand new, grey colored, and energy efficient, GAF EverGaurd Thermoplastic Polyolefin (TPO) roof across all 11 of the MLK buildings. New edge metal and gutters were also installed, HVAC units were replaced and gas lines have been updated. All of this was part of the City's kick-off to a multi-year modernization project at MLK. The campus was originally developed by the Military to support the ship building efforts of World War II, and much of the original infrastructure still remains. The intent of the modernization project is to implement some of the necessary repairs, alterations, and improvements that were identified in a 2015 Comprehensive Facility Condition Assessment (CFCA). The City is committed in making MLK a long-term sustainable flagship property for the City.

What can we expect in the future? MLK property is in need of modernization to reduce energy consumption and deliver upgrades to its major public amenities such as the courts, fields, and parking lot. The City allocated \$3 million dollars through Measure F, adopted in November 2015, for improvements at MLK including a portion for recreational improvement. In November 2017, the Sausalito Parks and Recreation Commission considered a Master Plan for renovations to the MLK tennis courts, basketball courts, and fields. The City is currently in the discussion and planning phase. Once input is given to City Council, the next step will be to hire the appropriate Engineers to determine the site conditions and make recommendations for structural improvements.

Find more information about MLK on the City's website at: <http://www.sausalito.gov/departments/administration/martin-luther-king-jr-property>. You can also contact Joshua Montemayor, Business Manager, at **415-289-4144** or via email at jmontemayor@sausalito.gov.



Willow Creek Academy Update

Greetings and Happy New Year from Willow Creek Academy! We are Sausalito-Marin City School District's public charter school, located just off of Nevada Street in Sausalito. As part of our New Year's reflections, we would like to thank all of the community volunteers that contribute time, energy, and expertise to Willow Creek Academy. We feel incredibly lucky to have such tremendous support from parents, grandparents, friends, and community organizations. Volunteerism makes a huge impact on the education of our students. We would like to describe a few specific volunteers—there are also many others!—who help make our school a unique place for learning.

Eva-Marie Christman: Eva-Marie comes to Mr. Breakstone's classroom every Friday to put together homework folders, laminate classroom materials, and help out in any way she can. She also organizes the other parents for field trips, classroom parties, and other volunteer activities. Eva-Marie's hard work allows her child's teacher more critical time to focus on students. Mr. Breakstone describes Eva-Marie as one of our "super-parents."

Barbara Adams: Our third grade classrooms have the pleasure of working weekly with Barbara Adams, the owner of Sausalito-based company, Beyond Wonderful Kids Cook. Third grade students often work in groups of three in the Sunflower Sentry garden, which Barbara carefully helps plan and maintain. Students are involved in cooking lessons, demonstrations in class, and planting seasonal produce. Barbara also supports students in reading and writing about nature and garden topics. When Barbara is volunteering at Willow Creek, her passion for healthy cooking and helping children shines through.

Chris Gomez: Chris has helped us care for our classroom pets for the past six years. His turtles, geckos, snakes and other reptiles bring hands-on life science into several Willow Creek Academy classrooms. As a third grade reading coach, he uses animals to help students learn vocabulary for reading. Chris has a passion for volunteering and was recently nominated for the Heart of Marin Award for volunteering at Artworks Downtown in San Rafael.

Colette Weil Parrinello, Third Grade: Colette Parrinello, from the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators, has been leading a Book Club in third grade for the last four years. Anne Siskin, one of our third grade teachers, loves having Colette in class. Her expertise in writing brings a higher level of reading instruction to her classroom.

Gail Harris, Fourth Grade Math: Gail Harris is a retired teacher, and this is her fifth year working with our fourth grade teacher, Adrienne Thompson. Adrienne says of Gail, "We started together when I worked at Bahia Vista Elementary, and when I moved to Willow Creek, she moved with me. Gail has always worked with me during Math lessons and would take my newcomer students and fill in the gaps in their fundamental skills. The best part is Gail is a teacher herself so with some basic materials she could create endless activities for her small groups, without more than a simple direction from me. That is a true gift to a teacher! She has done the same to challenge my higher achieving students, and has adapted to any activity in between. She even helps me get ready for Open House! And my favorite aspect of all is she has become a great friend."

Kris Malich, Fourth Grade Reading: Our fourth grade teacher, Jenny Schmidt, is incredibly grateful to Kris Malich for volunteering twice weekly in her classroom. Kris is the aunt of one of Ms. Schmidt's students, and she



helps support students in reading. With Kris's help, Mrs. Schmidt is able to provide more individual reading instruction to all of her students.

There are countless other volunteers who contribute to our school's success and sense of community. We have an active Parent Council, who help organize campus clean-ups, teacher appreciation breakfasts and lunches, book fairs, language translation, uniform exchanges, and even such things as our monthly Wednesday Walk and Roll Green Commute initiative. In the fall, numerous Willow Creek Academy families dropped by on a rainy Saturday morning to help with a campus-wide clean up. Our garden beds were pruned and weeded, our classrooms were scrubbed down, our office windows were shined up, our cobwebs were swept away, and our library was dusted to perfection.

We also couldn't finish this article without mentioning community organizations such as Bridge the Gap College Prep, Heath Ceramics, 10,000 Degrees, The Sausalito Historical Society, the Marin Humane Society, and the Golden Gate Parks Conservancy. Thank you all!

Thank you to everyone who makes our school a special place! If you are interested in volunteering at Willow Creek Academy, please contact Tara Seekins, Head of School, at tseekins@willowcreekacademy.org.

Bayside Martin Luther King Jr. Academy

Bayside Martin Luther King Jr. Academy would like to thank the Sausalito and Marin City communities for all of your support and commitment as we build an outstanding public school available to all students in our district!

At Bayside MLK, our students enjoy small class sizes. We have high expectations for success and we provide the support needed to get there with a culturally responsive learning environment. Every day our students enjoy a healthy breakfast and lunch provided at no cost to families through our community partner Conscious Kitchen. We have a strong academic program supported by instruction in theatre, dance, visual arts, music, and more!

Come check us out! Our school calendar of events found on our website at baysidemlk.org lists events, activities and educational programs open to the public.

An Evening of Poetry Wednesday, April 18, 6:30pm–9pm

The Sausalito Woman's Club, 120 Central Ave., Sausalito.
Co-sponsored by the Sausalito Library. Free admission. No-host bar.

*Life too is only an instant, only a dissolving of ourselves
into everyone, as if we gave ourselves as gifts*

—Boris Pasternak

The Sausalito Library and Sausalito Women's Club invite you to an Evening of Poetry—a special gathering celebrating some of the outstanding poetry of today. Hear readings from entrepreneurs, teachers, clergy, community leaders, along with special guest appearances by award-winning SLAM poets—brave new voices bringing the noise from the margins to the core.

Parking available at Christ Church.
Or make a CARSS reservation for this event by 4/16 at **415-944-5474** or **www.carss4you.org**

Scholarship Applications Available

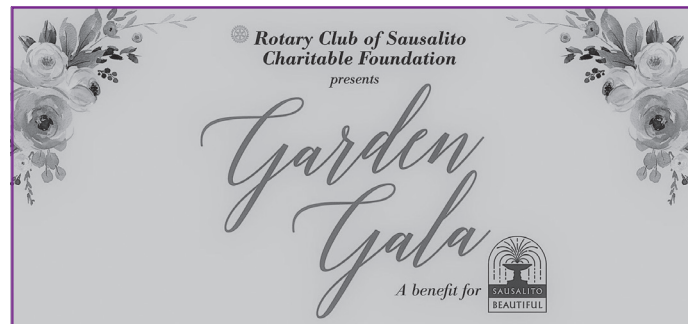
Each year, the Sausalito Woman's Club Scholarship Recognition Fund (SWCSRF) raises money for scholarships and provides awards to deserving students to help support their education goals.

The awards are for scholars who are permanent residents of Sausalito or Marin City (living in the zip code 94965) and High School Graduates or current High School Seniors planning to continue their education in an accredited college, university, vocational, or art school.

Applications for the 2018-2019 school year will be available online at **swcsrf.org** mid-December 2017. Completed Applications are DUE in early March 2018.

As there are four different application forms, please fill in a simple preliminary form, then we'll send you the appropriate form for your situation.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email the SWC scholarship coordinator at **swcsrfApplications@gmail.com** or write to: SWCSRF/Application Committee, P.O. BOX 3045, SAUSALITO, CA. 94966



Rotary Club of Sausalito Charitable Foundation presents...

An Evening of Cocktails, Dinner, Live Auction & Raffle
Benefiting Sausalito Beautiful

Saturday, May 12, 5:30pm
The Spinnaker, Sausalito

Celebrate & Support!

Call: 415-331-6466 Buy: www.SausalitoRotaryGala.org
Tickets: \$150 p/p (Early bird \$125 before March 15)

**Additional beneficiaries include Sausalito Rotary Senior Housing
& Educational Trust, & Rotary International Humanitarian Efforts.*

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Bridgeway Median Six

Sausalito Beautiful Renovates Bridgeway Median Six

The City of Sausalito and Sausalito Beautiful are proud to announce the completion of the privately funded renovation of Bridgeway Median Six, the median strip to the north of the intersection of Bridgeway and Spring Street. Funds for the project came from Sausalito Beautiful's donor pool, Sloat Garden Center, Jon Lam, State Farm Insurance, First California Realty, and a generous anonymous donor.

Sausalito Beautiful directed the project in concert with Public Works Division Manager Loren Umbertis of the City of Sausalito. Tom Wilhite of Green Man Garden Design and Consultation served as landscape designer and project manager. Installation was performed by GSI Landscaping.

New plants at Bridgeway Median Six include Aloe, Manzanita, California Lilac, Coyote Brush, California Poppy, and Cape Mendocino Reed Grass. The plants are complemented by Sonoma Fieldstone boulders. The design is a continuation of the concept used for the recent improvements of Bolinar Plaza and Medians Three and Four (north and south of Harbor Drive).

Sausalito Beautiful is a non-profit volunteer organization whose mission is to create, enhance, and protect the City's public landscapes through advocacy, partnership, and the encouragement of a community-wide culture of responsibility.

Sausalito Beautiful Green Thumbs Volunteer Clean Up Days

The Sausalito Beautiful "Green Thumbs" Volunteer team recently completed a clean up and re-landscaping of the Sausalito Post Office (find pictures and videos here: www.sausalitobeaautiful.org/news/) and is set for an exciting list of upcoming landscape renovation projects in 2018. The team is now led by Jim Scriba—a Sausalito resident and avid volunteer for Earth Day, the National Ski Patrol, the Sausalito Community Boating Center, the City of Sausalito, and many other organizations.

For those not familiar with Green Thumbs, this all-volunteer group performs regularly scheduled, small-scale maintenance at selected sites around the city. The program is coordinated with the City of Sausalito Department of Public Works, and is intended to require minimal City staff time and resources. The goal is to foster resident involvement with the City of Sausalito and enhance the natural beauty of Sausalito. If you are interested in joining Green Thumbs, send an email to **volunteer@sausalitobeaautiful.org** with your name, email address, and Sausalito street address. The upcoming Green Thumbs dates are set for March 3, April 22, and May 5.

National Park Service News

Dear Sausalito neighbors...we hope to see you in your neighboring national parklands often! Hikes and beaches, history and nature, watch the sunset or check in on recovering marine mammals...so much to do for every age and interest! Here's some current highlights and new....

GoMuirWoods.com

That's the website to make reservations, now required for visits via car or shuttle, for Muir Woods! No more congestion, crowding or unsafe experiences...better for you, great for the Woods!

Hawk Hill

New fully accessible trail up to this highly scenic spot in the Marin Headlands. Look at the Golden Gate and ocean, watch for hawks and ships!

Battery Townsley

The "secret" WWII installation under the hill, facing the ocean, has been fixed up and is now open thx to volunteers! Tours offered First Sunday of each month.

Significant Improvements to the Headlands Center for the Arts!

An outdoor performance space and great sculptures are now part of the experience. Check out how to visit, learn about programs, find about artists at www.headlands.org

Marin Headlands Campground Season Opens mid-March. Book your reservation at **recreation.gov**

Do you read with a child? Check out the story book in Marin Headlands! Where's Rodney!

Share your time and skills with your national parks and other public lands! Many volunteer opportunities available...check out the next one and also plan ahead at **parksconservancy.org** AND, there's a free e-newsletter to learn about programs, exciting park news!



Chamber of Commerce Calendar

The Sausalito Chamber of Commerce is located at 1913 Bridgeway (beside Suzie’s Nails and Fred’s Coffee Shop).

FEBRUARY

- 13 Business Exchange Meeting
Seafood Peddler, 303 Johnson Street, Sausalito
8:15am–9:30am
- 15 Chamber Member Mixer
Barcelino’s
5:30pm–7:30pm

MARCH

- 15 Business Exchange Meeting
Location TBD
8:15am–9:30am
- 15 Chamber Member Mixer
Location TBD
5:30pm–7:30pm

APRIL

- 10 Business Exchange Meeting
Location TBD
8:15am–9:30am
- 19 Chamber Member Mixer
Location TBD
5:30pm–7:30pm

MAY

- 8 Business Exchange Meeting
Location TBD
8:15am–9:30am
- 17 Chamber Member Mixer
Location TBD
5:30pm–7:30pm

Business Information Exchange Meeting

Meets 2nd Tuesday of the Month from 8:15am-9:30am
Chamber members, President, CEO, Board of Directors, City Council and the City Manager meet to discuss current issues and promote upcoming events and programs. For details visit Sausalito.org.

Chamber Mixers

3rd Thursday of the month from 5:30pm–7:30pm
Mixers are an opportunity for both Chamber members and non-members to meet and network.
The location of Chamber meetings varies each month. Hosting a meeting is a great opportunity to showcase your business. Please contact the Chamber if you are interested in hosting.
For additional information visit **Sausalito.org**, email **chamber@sausalito.org** or call **415-331-7262**.

Other Community Events

MARCH


- 3/24 Sausalito Yacht Club Open House
- 3/24 Willow Creek Academy Fundraiser

APRIL

- 4/18 Sausalito Woman’s Club Evening of Poetry
- 4/22 Earth Day Neighborhood Clean-Up

MAY

- 5/12 Rotary Club Garden Gala Fundraiser

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STAY IN THE LOOP	Visit the City’s Website	sausalito.gov
	Sign Up for the Sausalito Currents	sausalito.gov/currents
CONTACT SOMEONE	City Council	sausalito.gov/citycouncil
	City Manager, Adam Politzer	apolitzer@sausalito.gov 415-289-4166
	Administration Department	415-289-4199
	Police Department	415-289-4170 For an emergency, 911 or 415-472-0911 from a cell phone
	Fire Department	415-289-4155 For an emergency, 911
	Community Development Department	415-289-4128
	Public Works Department	415-289-4106
	Parks & Recreation Department	sausalitoparksandrecreation.com 415-289-4152
	Library	415-289-4121
	City Department Directory	sausalito.gov/directory
FIND INFORMATION ABOUT. . .	City Governmnt	sausalito.gov
	Emergency Advisory Alerts	local.nixle.com/city/ca/sausalito
	Sausalito Municipal Codes	codepublishing.com/ca/sausalito
	Emergency Preparedness	sausalito.gov/emergency
	Street Sweeping Schedule	sausalito.gov/sweeping
	Parking Citations	800-989-2058
	Public Records	415-289-4134 lwhalen@sausalito.gov
REPORT AN ISSUE	Sewage System Overflow	(During Business Hours) 415-289-4192 (After Hours/Holidays) 415-289-4170; 415-850-0200; 415-726-1653; 415-332-0244
	Potholes, Grafitti, Weeds, or Other Issues	sausalito.gov/service



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